



**RAJNATH REVIEWS
SECURITY IN RAJOURI**
Defence Minister Rajnath Singh on Saturday reviewed the security situation along the borders in Jammu and Kashmir during his visit to Rajouri district, a day after five elite para commandos were killed during an anti-terrorist operation in Kandi. The minister's visit assumes significance as terrorists have killed 35 people, including 26 soldiers, in eight attacks in the twin border districts of Rajouri and Poonch since October 2021. **P12**



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Declaration about criminal cases
(As per the judgment dated 25th September, 2018, of Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP (Civil) No. 536 of 2011
(Public Interest Foundation & Ors. Vs Union of India Anr.)

Name and address of candidate : **Mr RIZWAN ARSHAD**
Residing at: Apartment No. G-2, No. 24, 4th Street, benson 'A' Cross Road, Benson Town, Bengaluru-560046
Name of political party : **INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS (INC)**
(Independent candidate should write "Independent" here)
Name of election : THE KARNATAKA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS,2023
*Name of Constituency : No. 162-SHIVAJINAGAR LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY
I Mr. RIZWAN ARSHAD, a candidate for the abovementioned election, declare for public information the following details about my criminal antecedents:

(A) Pending criminal cases				
Sl.No	Name of Court	Case No. and dated	Status of case (s)	Section (s) of Acts concerned and brief description of offences (s)
1.	1st Additional Civil Judge (Jn. Dn) & JMFC Court Kanakapura	C.C. No 146/2022 (F.I.R bearing Crime No.002/2022)	Summons to Accused	Section 141, 143, 290, 336 read with Section 149 of Indian Penal Code & Section 5(3A) of The Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020. For Participating in Mekedatu Padayatre.
2.	Principal Civil Judge & JMFC Court Kanakapura	C.C No. 194/2022 (F.I.R bearing Crime No.001/2022)	Summons to Accused	Section 141, 143, 290, 336 read with section 149 of Indian Penal Code & Section 5(3A) of The Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020. For Participating in Mekedatu Padayatre.
3	42nd Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bengaluru	C.C. No 3169/2022 (PCR No.1453/2021)	NBW	Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 51 (b) of The Disaster Management Act, 2005, For Participating in Mekedatu Padayatre.
4.	42nd Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bengaluru	C.C No 25317/22 (PCR No.54122/2021)	Sumons	Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code and Section 31 read with Section 103 of the Karnataka Police Act. For Participating in Mekedatu Padayatre.
(B) Details about cases of conviction for criminal offences				
*Sl. no	Name of Court & date (s)	Description offence (s) & punishment imposed	Maximum Punishment Imposed	
-NIL-	-NIL-	-NIL-	-NIL-	
-NIL-	-NIL-	-NIL-	-NIL-	
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* In the case of election to Council of States or election to Legislative Council by MLAs, mention the election concerned in place of name of constituency.

**KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE**
Tender No : 20/2023-24/KWA/PHC/D1/TVM

Road restoration of PWD/NH/KRFB roads under JJM - Road restoration work in JJM 2022 - 2024: CWSS to Pulimath, Nagaroor and Karavaram Panchayaths Pipeline Work. EMD: Rs. 2,00,000/-; Tender fee: Rs.13,010/-; Last Date for submitting Tender: 29-05-2023, 03:00:pm. Phone: 0471 2322303. Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

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PH Circle, Thiruvananthapuram

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**KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE**
Tender No : 17/23-24/SE/PHC/PKD

AMRUT 2.0 - 2022-23 Chittur Thathamangalm Municipality - Construction of 5.00 LL OHSR, Supply and erection of Motor pump sets, pumping main, distribution main, pipeline extensions and providing FHTCS. EMD: Rs. 200000; Tender fee: Rs. 11025; Last Date for submitting Tender: 19-05-2023, 03:00:pm; Phone: 0491 2544927. Website: www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

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PH Circle, Palakkad

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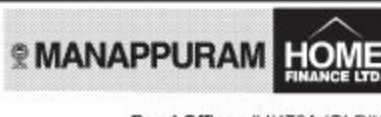
I, Giridhar, H. Advocate, have investigated title of Sri. C. Manjunetha, Son of Late Chikka Anjana Raju, Residing at No 31 & 32, Amba Layout, Chikka Banavara, Bangalore – 560 090, to the immovable Agriculture property bearing Nos. 29/1, 29/4, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34/2, 34/3, 34/4, 63/110 + 18, 63/2 and Survey 64, situated as two blocks at Maripadagu Village, Goribidanur Taluk, Chikkaballapura District, on the basis of the Photostat copies of the title deed and other documents as mentioned in the list of documents. My report on the title is as follows:

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES:
All that piece and parcel of the properties bearing Survey No 29/1 measuring 19 (including 1 gunta karab) Guntas, Survey No 290 measuring 2 Acres 09 guntas, Survey No. 30/1 measuring 19 Guntas, Survey No 30/2 measuring 17 Guntas, Survey No. 30/4 measuring 24 Guntas, Survey No. 310 measuring 1 Acre 39 Guntas, Survey No 31/3 measuring 2 Acres 18 Guntas, Survey No 310 measuring 1 Acre 05 Gun., Survey No. 31/5 measuring 1 Acre 23 Guntas, Survey No 32 measuring 3 Aze 20 Gun., Survey No 33 measuring 3 Acres 36 Guntas, Survey No. 34/2 measuring 3 Acres 25 Guntas, Survey No 34/3 measuring 3 Acres 16 GUntas, Survey No 34/4 measuring 1 Acre 13 guntas, Survey Nos. 63/1A + 18 measuring 1 Acres 11 Guntas, Survey No. 63/2 measuring 2 Acres 06 Guntas and Survey 64 measuring 4 Acres 37 Gun., M all measuring 41 Acres 26 guntas situated at Maripadagu Village, Nagaragere Hob', Gouribidanur Taluk, Chikkaballapura District and bounded on the;

Boundaries to the Survey Nos. 29/1, 29/4, 30, 63/1A, 63/1B and 64
EAST BY : Properties bearing Survey Nos.65, 27 & 28,
WEST BY : Properties bearing Survey Nos. 50, 51 and 52,
NORTH BY : Remaining Properties bearing Survey Nos.62, 66,65
SOUTH BY : Road.
Boundaries to the Survey Nos. 31, 32, 33, 34, 34/3 and 34/4
EAST BY : Boundary of Mudulodu Village and property bearing Sy.No.25,
WEST BY : Properties bearing Survey Nos.35,145 and 36
NORTH BY : Road
SOUTH BY : Property bearing Survey No.36 and boundary of Mudulodu village

(hereinafter referred to as 'Scrutiny Subject properties.

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Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Loan Account Number / Branch	Description of Secured Asset in respect of which interest has been created	NPA Date	Demand Notice Date/ Outstanding Amount
1	SWAMY K B,NANDA KUMARI C S,MADHUKUMAR H J/ CO90COLONS000005008109/ MYSORE	Property No 3/3B unique no 152100404700420049, G Kebbahalli village, B hosuru Grama Panchayathi, Mandya,P.O KERAGODU, MANDYA, KARNATAKA, Pin: 571446	12-04-2023	18-04-2023 & Rs.604475/-

The above borrower/s are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of issuance of notice U/s. 13 (2), failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of issuance of notice U/s. 13 (2) dated mentioned above as per the provisions of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002

Date : 07.05.2023
Place: KARNATAKA

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Manappuram Home Finance Ltd

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Declaration about criminal cases
(As per the judgment dated 25th September, 2018, of Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP(Civil) No.536 of 2011(Public Interest Foundation of Ors. Vs. Union of India & Anr.)

Name & Address of Candidate: **Umapathy Srinivasa Gowda**
Name of Political Party: **Indian National Congress**
Name of Election: **Karnataka Assembly Election 2023**
Name of Constituency: **175- Bommanahalli Constituency**
I Umapathy Srinivasa Gowda a candidate for the above mentioned election, declare for public information the following details about my criminal antecedents:

A. Pending Criminal Cases				
Sl NO	Name of Court	Case No. & Dated	Status of Case	Section of the Acts Concerned & Brief description of offence(s)
1	37th ACMM Court, Bengaluru	Crime Number 130 of 2023 HSR Layout Police Station	Investigation Stage	Section 171E of Indian Penal Code and Umapathy Srinivasa Gowda who is an congress party election ticket aspirant along with his association was distributing milk at freedom park 2nd Sector HSR Layout on 13/04/2023.
B. Details about cases of Conviction for criminal offences				
Sl NO	Name of Court and Date of Order	Description of Offences(s) & Punishment Imposed	Maximum Punishment imposed	
	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
Date: 06-05-2023 Place: Bengaluru (Umapathy Srinivasa Gowda)				

FORMAT C-1
(for candidate to publish in Newspapers, TV)
Declaration about criminal cases
(As per the judgment dated 25th September, 2018, of Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP (Civil) No.536 of 2011 (Public Interest Foundation &Ors. Vs. Union of India &Anr.)

Name and address of candidate : **PRIYANK KHARGE**
Name of Political Party : **INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS**
(Independent candidates should write "Independent" here)
Name of Election : **KARNATAKA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, GENERAL ELECTIONS MAY-2023**
Name of Constituency : **40-CHITTAPUR (SC) ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY**
I PRIYANK KHARGE, a candidate for the above mentioned election, declare for public information the following details about my criminal antecedents:

Sl. No.	A) Pending criminal cases			B) Details about cases of conviction for Criminal offences		
	Name of The Court	Case No. and dated / Status of Case	Section(s) of Acts concerned and brief description of offence(s)	Name of Court & Date(s) of order(s)	Description of offence(s) & Punishment imposed	Maximum Punishment imposed
1	42nd Additional CMM, Bangalore	PCR 2990/2023 is pending for next hearing on 4/5/2023	U/s 499,500 of IPC 1860 - Defamation Case	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
2	8th Additional CMM, Bangalore	FIR No. 0019 / 2023 yet to receive any summons/notice from the Honourable Court	U/s 143, 149, 283 of IPC 1860 - Protest in front of Chief Minister's Residence	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
3	2nd Additional CMM, Bangalore	FIR No. 0149 / 2022 yet to receive any summons/notice from the Honourable Court	U/s 427, 147, 149, 188, 290 of IPC, 1980 Read with U/s 103 of Karnataka Police Act, 1963 & Prevention of Damage to public property Act 1984 U/s 3 - protest in front of ED Office, Bengaluru	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
4	8th Additional CMM, Bangalore	FIR No.0054 /2022 – yet to receive any summons/ notice from the Honourable Court	U/s. 143, 341 of IPC Read with U/s.103 of Karnataka Police Act, 1963 - Protest not to widen Road on Sankey Tank, Bengaluru	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
5	42nd Additional CMM, Bangalore	CC 8717 / 2022 – High Court of Karnataka has ordered Stay	U/s.141, 143, 290, 336 Read with 149 of IPC & U/s.5(3A) KED ACT 2020 – Pada yatra done during Covid	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
6	42nd Additional CMM, Bangalore	CC 6317 / 2022 – Honourable Court has issued summons -case if pending for hearing on 31/5/2023	U/s.141, 143, 290, 336 Read with 149 of IPC & U/s.5(3A) KED ACT 2020 – Pada yatra done during Covid	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
7	Principal Civil Judge & JMFC, Kanakapura	CC 194 / 2022 - – Honourable Court has issued summons -case is pending for hearing on 26/09/2023	U/s.141, 143, 290, 336 Read with 149 of IPC & U/s.5(3A) KED ACT 2020 - Pada yatra done during Covid	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
8	1st Additional Civil Judge & JMFC, Kanakapura	145 / 2022 – Honourable Court has issued summons -case is pending for hearing on 05/07/2023	U/s.141, 143, 290, 336 Read with 149 of IPC & U/s.5(3A) KED ACT 2020 - Pada yatra done during Covid	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
9	1st Additional Civil Judge & JMFC, Kanakapura	146 / 2022 Honourable Court has issued summons -case is pending for hearing on 05/07/2023	U/s.141, 143, 290, 336 Read with 149 of IPC & U/s.5(3A) KED ACT 2020 - Pada yatra done during Covid	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
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Tel:080-2594-3678/3663

APPENDIX-IV A
[See proviso to Rule 8(6)]
E-AUCTION ON 24.05.2023
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Property (excluding movables, if any, lying in the premises) under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) & 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the Borrower/Mortgagor/Guarantors in particular that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Bengaluru, the actual possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **24.05.2023** for recovery of **Rs.7,91,72,122/-** (Rupees Seven Crore Ninety One Lakh Seventy Two Thousand One Hundred Twenty Two Only) (CC A/c No.32698376685 – Rs.7,80,19,338/- + HLT A/c No.30117822608 – Rs.5,54,344/- + legal & other charges Rs.5,98,440/-) as on 15.03.2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 16.03.2023 with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc., due to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India from the Borrower: **The Managing Director, M/s Assadi Resources Pvt. Ltd.,** No.3-31-2579/1, 'Vasanth Nivas' Near Bunts Hostel, Mangaluru-575 003. **AND** Guarantors/Mortgagor, (i) **Mr. T. A. Haq Assadi, S/o. Late Mr. T. A. K. Assadi, Managing Director,** 'Greenwoods', Yemmekere Cross Road, Bolar, Mangaluru-575 001. (ii) **Mr Mohamed Zannon Assadi, S/o. Mr. T. A. Haq Assadi, Director,** 'Greenwoods', Yemmekere Cross Road, Bolar, Mangaluru-575 001. (iii) **Mr. Nihal Ahmed Assadi, S/o. Mr. T. A. Haq Assadi, Director,** 'Greenwoods', Yemmekere Cross Road, Bolar, Mangaluru-575 001. (iv) **Maj. D M Nizamuddin, S/o. Late Mr D M Shamsuddin,** Guarantor, 'Faiq House', Yemmekere 1st Cross Road, Bolar, Mangaluru-575 001 and also the dues of the Housing Term Loan availed by Shri T A Haq Assadi in his individual name.
The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit (EMD), Bid increment amount, time of e-auction and last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents for immovable properties to be sold will be as under:

Reserve Price (Below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount	Time of e-Auction of Property	Last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents
Rs.2,17,00,000/-	Rs.21,70,000/-	Rs.1,00,000/-	24.05.2023 - 11.00 a.m. to 04.00 p.m.	On or before 23.05.2023 up to 4.00 P.M.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
Tender No.SARB/2023-24/NSR-NN/873:
Asset ID: 100001890279
[Owned & Mortgaged by Mr T A Haq Assadi]
All that residential apartment bearing No.508, measuring 1744 sq. feet of Super Built Up Area in the 4th Floor of Block "DEODAR" of the project " **Prestige St. John's Wood**" together with 858/352.081.72th part of **Undivided** share of land in the property formed in portion of Municipal No.18, Second Cross Road, Chikka Adugodi, Ward No. 66, Bengaluru together with proportionate share in Common areas such as Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircases and other areas of common use with one covered Car parking space in the basement floor and the Apartment is bounded on: **East by** : Open towards open space in 'DEODAR' Block and thereafter open towards internal Road in 'PRESTIGE ST. JOHN'S WOOD'. **West by** :Entrance Corridor and open towards open space in 'DEODAR' Block of 'PRESTIGE ST. JOHN'S WOOD'. **North by** : Apartment No.507 in 4th Floor of 'DEODAR' Block in 'PRESTIGE ST. JOHN'S WOOD' and **South by** : Open towards open space in 'DEODAR' Block and thereafter open towards internal Road in 'PRESTIGE ST. JOHN'S WOOD'.
[This property is a common secured asset securing the credit facilities of M/s Assadi Resources Pvt. Ltd., and Housing loan of Mr T A Haq Assadi]
STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE (2nd/SUBSEQUENT AUCTION) UNDER "SARFAESI" ACT,2002.
The Borrower/Mortgagor is hereby noticed to pay the sum mentioned above within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice failing which the Bank shall sell the properties as per the provisions laid down in the SARFAESI ACT, 2002.
For further details regarding inspection of the property the intending bidder may contact the Authorised Officer as mentioned above or Bank's Approved Resolution Agent M/s Goodwill Recovery and Financial Services Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru – Cell Nos.9886728350/9740367868.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the links provided by the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, J. C. Road, Bengaluru, represented by its Authorised Officer, i.e., (1) www.sbi.co.in & (2) www.mscccommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.
Date:05.05.2023
Place: Bengaluru

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The rare incident happened onboard a domestic flight from Nagpur to Mumbai last month, the airline said in a statement

WOMAN RUSHED TO HOSPITAL AFTER LANDING

The female passenger was treated by a doctor upon landing at Mumbai airport and was subsequently rushed to a hospital. She has since recovered and is out of danger, the airline said in its statement. The arachnid was found by the airline's engineers during a post-landing inspection after which the aircraft's cabin and cargo hold were fumigated

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A preliminary probe concluded the creature must have made its way into the aircraft through the supplies, and the airline has directed its catering team and dry cleaners to check their facilities for bugs
In December last, a snake was found in the cargo hold of an Air India Express plane from Calicut after it landed at the Dubai airport

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Modi's roadshow rocks Bengaluru

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WITH just four days left for the big day, Prime Minister Narendra Modi launched a massive 26-km roadshow in Bengaluru to reach out to voters and win as many seats as possible for BJP in the state capital.

The roadshow disrupted traffic in parts of the city. Commercial activities were also hit as shops and other establishments remained shut till the roadshow ended.

The BJP, which termed the roadshow a historic one, estimated that around eight lakh people witnessed it.

Modi, who arrived at Someshwara Bhavan at JP Nagar, was welcomed by BJP MPs PC Mohan and Tejasvi Surya.

Wearing a saffron 'Mysuru Peta', the PM began his roadshow, covering 13 of the 28 Assembly constituencies in the city.

An energetic Modi kept waving at the crowd while folk artists performed 'Veeragaase', 'Dollu Kunitha', 'Kamsale' and 'Thamata' along the route.

A large number of people, including children, participated in the roadshow. Many were seen wearing Modi masks and holding his posters and cutouts. Chanting slogans, they showered petals on Modi.

A huge statue of Lord Hanuman was mounted on a vehicle at Sirsi Circle and people wearing the costumes of Lord Rama, Lord Lakshmana and Lord Hanuman were seen chanting "Jai Bajrang Bali". P4

500 houses torched, Manipur toll at least 20

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

AMID tension continuing in parts of Manipur, various figures on the toll of the ethnic violence were doing the rounds on Saturday. While former CRPF chief Kuldip Singh, the new security advisor for Manipur, said there were 18-20 deaths, local media reports quoting unnamed officials put the figure at 54.

"There are reports of 18-20 deaths. We are verifying if all deaths are related to the violence. Over 100 others were injured. They sustained major and minor injuries," Singh said.

However, the local media claimed there were bodies at Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal (23), Jawaharlal Nehru Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal (15) and Churachandpur District Hospital (16).

A 27-year-old CRPF commando Chongkholen and Indian Revenue Service (IRS) officer Letminthang Haokip were among those killed. Chongkholen, who was on leave, was killed by a bullet during tensions in Siden village which comes under the police district of Bishnupur. The IRS Association condemned the killing of Haokip, who was posted in Imphal, by a mob.

Singh said over 500 houses were torched and many vehicles damaged. The exact number of vehicles damaged is being ascertained.

"Tension still prevails in some areas. We have tackled the situation in Churachandpur; areas on the border of Churachandpur and Bishnupur districts, Kangpokpi and Moreh," Singh said.

"The situation has improved over the past two days. The Manipur administration has made adequate arrangements. A large number of troops were also received from Central government. Twenty-three locations are being manned by the CAPF (central armed police force). There are also Manipur police and IRB (India Reserve Battalion) forces," Singh said.

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Army grounds Dhruv choppers after crash

New Delhi: The Army has grounded the entire fleet of Advanced Light Helicopter (ALH) Dhruv following the crash of one of the choppers in Jammu and Kashmir on Thursday, military sources said on Saturday.

The Kerala Story made tax-free in MP

Bhopal: Madhya Pradesh CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan on Saturday announced to give tax-free status to The Kerala Story in the state, a day after PM Narendra Modi credited the movie for bringing out terror conspiracies. P12

Child marriage valid till annulled

Madurai: A vacation bench of the Madurai Bench of the Madras High Court on Friday refused to recognise the second marriage of a child marriage victim by pointing out that she, who is now a major, has not annulled her child marriage before entering into the second marriage. P9

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Threat to kill Kharge: Audio goes viral

BANSY KALAPPA & RAMKRISHNA BADSESHI @ Bengaluru/Kalaburagi

AN audio clip of BJP candidate from the Chittapur Assembly constituency, Manikanth Rathod, allegedly threatening to "finish off" the family members of AICC chief Mallikarjun Kharge has gone viral. In the audio clip, a Rathod follower is heard telling him, "Kharge Sahebru will initiate legal action on the 44 cases against you that have been stayed."

Rathod, without mentioning Kharge's name, is heard allegedly telling his follower that he

Bomma promises probe

Hubballi: Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Saturday promised an investigation into the audio clip.

would "finish off" the wife and children (hendti makkalanna saf madibiditide).

Congress has filed a complaint with the ECI, stating, "It is a conspiracy against Kharge and his family. In 2022, Rathod had stated that he would 'shoot' Priyank Kharge, Congress MLA from Chittapur and Kharge's son. The complaint was filed by former MLC Ramesh Babu."

On Saturday, Priyank referred to the audio clip while addressing an election meeting in Chittapur and said he has seen many such Rathods.

Rathod denied that he threatened to kill Kharge, his wife and children. He filed a complaint at the cybercrime police station in Kalaburagi on Saturday, stating that the audio clip "released by AICC general secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala" is fake.

KPCC chief DK Shivakumar said, "It's deeply disturbing that a BJP leader was caught conspiring to wipe out Kharge."

Russian MISSILE SHOT DOWN BY UKRAINE

Ukraine said it downed a Russian hypersonic Kinzhal missile using Patriot air-defence system. Kinzhal is one of the most advanced missiles in Russian arsenal | P17



Khalistani terrorist shot dead in Pakistan

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

WANTED Khalistani terrorist and chief of Khalistan Commando Force (KCF) was on Saturday gunned down by two unidentified assailants in Pakistan's Lahore.

Panjwar, the mastermind behind the 1999 blast in Chandigarh's Sector 34, was walking near his house in Sunflower Society in Lahore's Johar Town when he was gunned down by two motorbike-borne assailants. His bodyguard was injured in the incident.

Panjwar was among the most-wanted terrorists sought by India and sheltered by Pakistan, though Islamabad denied his presence in its land.

India designated Panjwar a terrorist under the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act in July 2020. "Panjwar broadcast separatist programmes on Radio Pakistan, intended to incite the minorities against the Indian government. He was also a go-between for smugglers and terrorists. Panjwar's complicity in promoting drug trade and fake Indian currency operation in Punjab are well documented," the Union home ministry said.

Panjwar joined the KCF in 1986. He crossed into Pakistan after Indian forces eliminated Khalistan leader Labh Singh.



Desi flavour in Charles' coronation

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

THERE was a distinct Indian flavour in the coronation ceremony of King Charles III as the 40th monarch of Britain on Saturday. Topping the list was a reading from a biblical text by the UK's Indian-origin Prime Minister Rishi Sunak.

The traditional Christian ceremony had a multi-faith element this time around with Lord Narendra Babubhai Patel, 84, represented the Hindu faith, carrying the sovereign's ring. Lord Indrajit Singh, 90, represented Sikhs and carried the coronation glove.

The Dabbawalas gifted him a crown made of five metals and a white shawl and a traditional Puneri Pagadi through the UK's Deputy High Commissioner. P17



King Charles III leaves Westminster Abbey after his coronation in central London on Saturday | AFP

BJP Karnataka
Honourable Prime Minister
Shri Narendra Modi
in
Namma Bengaluru Namma Hemme
ROAD SHOW

7 May, 2023 - Sunday, Bengaluru

10:00 AM
Kempegowda Statue, New Tippasandra Road - Trinity Circle

10:15 AM
2. HAL 2nd Stage, 80 Feet Road Junction

10:25 AM
3. HAL 2nd Stage, 12th Main Road Junction

10:35 AM
4. 100ft Road Junction

10:50 AM
5. ESI Hospital Road

11:10 AM
6. Metro Pillar 76, CMH Road

11:20 AM
7. Halasuru Metro Station

11:30 AM
8. Trinity Circle

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PUBLIC MOOD IS IN FAVOUR OF BJP: CM

PRAMODKUMAR VAIDYA @Hubballi

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai looks confident of the BJP winning the Assembly elections as much as retaining his own constituency, Shiggaon. The reason behind his confidence, he feels, is the performance of the BJP government in the state and how it brought about changes despite addressing emergencies caused by the pandemic and natural calamities. In an exclusive interview with The New Sunday Express, Bommai cites reasons why the BJP will retain power in Karnataka. Excerpts:

What is the Unique Selling Proposition (USP) of the state BJP government while seeking votes during this election?
On three main issues, our government stands out from other previous governments as the past four-five years were tumultuous for the state. First, handling of the Covid-19 pandemic situation. Karnataka acted quite differently using technology to address the health emergency, whether it was tackling issues related to ICU beds, oxy-



North Karnataka still underdeveloped?
I can emphatically say it was due to the bad administration of previous governments. Efforts were made here and there but not comprehensive ones. Though important Congress leaders from the region were in power for decades, no concrete policies and programmes were framed to address the regional imbalance. But the BJP governments, in the past too, have done far more to address the issue. In the past three-four years, noticeable changes have been brought and the region is slowly catching up with other parts of the State.

The scene in your constituency looks in favour of you because of your connect with the people. But what is the real picture in the entire Karnataka?
The scene in my constituency is the same as across the state, and it is in favour of the BJP. Moreover, we don't look at compartmentalising the constituency and the region. Efforts are being made to ensure victory of the

party candidates everywhere. We have no doubts about retaining power with a sizable majority.

Congress is continuously targeting the BJP government on the corruption issue. How do you see the issue affecting the election prospects?
It is a sinister campaign launched by Congress. All the allegations — including the 40 per cent commission — that they are levelling at us are baseless. I myself asked the Contractors' Association president to furnish documents on particular cases in which bribes were sought. But they have no proof to corroborate their allegations. For making false allegations, an arrest warrant was issued against the Contractors' Association president.

Many pre-poll surveys have shown Congress to be ahead of the BJP. How do you see the outcome of these surveys?
With all due respect to the findings of these surveys, I say, nobody can find the real mood of the public, they just give an indication.

gen supply, and so on and so forth. Secondly, addressing the problem of floods. The flood during our tenure was quite peculiar because it was generated due to excess rainfall across the state. But our government handled it more efficiently and also distributed compensation towards the loss of properties and crops, which was the highest ever in the history of the state. The third was the economic recovery in the post-pandemic era. Going by the unrest caused by Covid, it would have

taken four to five years to bring the economy back on track, but our government did it within two years. As a result, Karnataka tops the nation in attracting FDI and also in other economic indicators. Also, unusual growth is seen in the building of economic and social infrastructure.

It is agreeable the state has seen developments infrastructure-wise. But, why are the major parts of

BJP hopes Modi's roadshow brings it closer to Mission 20 in Bengaluru

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @Bengaluru

WITH Prime Minister Narendra Modi's roadshow in Bengaluru, covering half of the city, BJP is hoping to get more seats in Bengaluru and achieve its mission of winning 20 out of 28 seats in the capital.

Though the saffron party has all the three Lok Sabha seats in the city in its kitty, the equation is different for the Assembly polls. In 2008, it won the highest number of 17 seats. In 2013, however, it dipped to 12. In the last election, only 11 were BJP MLAs from the city. But the tally went up to 15 with the bypolls in 2019, after many MLAs from Congress and JDS quit and joined BJP.

Modi, who has toured the state extensively, is focusing on

the city to make big gains. His roadshow on Saturday drew big crowds, while another is scheduled for Sunday morning. With this, he would have covered all the constituencies in the city.

In Bengaluru, certain constituencies are BJP boroughs, while others are Congress strongholds. Across the city, there is a large number of neutral voters who are undecided, and that is the segment that BJP hopes to swing its way with Modi's rallies. The party also expects the Prime Minister's outings to iron out creases like traffic jams, bad roads, potholes and other issues that were its pain points just a few weeks ago.

Bengaluru South MP and BJP Yuva Morcha national president Tejasvi Surya told

The New Sunday Express that the party is confident of winning 20 seats in the city. Surya, who accompanied Modi on the roadshow, said the crowd was "Naa Bhutho, Na Bhavishyathe" and the love they saw was precious. "No PM has done so much for Bengaluru, be it the suburban rail, extension of Metro rail or new terminus at the Kempegowda International Airport. His vision and schemes have benefited at least 80 lakh people in Bengaluru, directly and indirectly," he claimed.

Political scientist Prof Sandeep Shastri said going by the voting pattern, Bengaluru has always recorded the lowest voter turnout in the state in the last 40 years. "In Bengaluru, urban voter numbers matter. One has to wait and watch," he said.



People wait to have a glimpse of Prime Minister Narendra Modi in Bengaluru on Saturday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

BJP siding with rowdies: congress

Bengaluru: The Congress on Saturday played the BJP and Prime Minister Narendra Modi for taking out the roadshow in Shivajinagar for its candidate N Chandra who is accused in an attempt-to-murder case. Congress candidate Rizwan Arshad said, "The PM's campaign route will only send the message that BJP is siding with such people." ENS

It's clear Bengaluru wants BJP, says Modi

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THIS was in response to Congress' announcement in its manifesto that it will ban organisations such as Bajrang Dal.

The three-hour roadshow ended on Sampige Road at Malleswaram in North Bengaluru.

Overwhelmed by the response, Modi tweeted, "It is clear Bengaluru wants BJP. This city believes that our party will continue delivering on good governance and development."

For PM's autograph

Meeth V Pirgal, a Class 9 student of Apollo National Public School, was among the crowd at Sirsi Circle waiting for Modi's autograph.

"I am a big fan of Modi and I admire him a lot. I made a portrait of Modi when I was in Class 7 and won an award,"

said Pirgal, who wanted Modi to sign the portrait. Many like him were seen holding their paintings, photos and placards to get Modi's signature.

Wedding invitation

At South End Circle, a young couple held a placard inviting him to their wedding on May 12.

Ambulance stuck

Former Union minister and senior Congress leader Jairam Ramesh tweeted a video of an ambulance stuck because of roadblocks for Modi's roadshow. "Ambulances stuck, chaos on road! If the PM has any shame left or even an iota of concern for the people of Bengaluru, he would immediately cancel part 2 of the 40-km 40 per cent roadshow tomorrow (Sunday). But we all know that all he cares for is his Grand Tamasha!" said Jairam Ramesh in his tweet.



Modi was going to Hosapete and I to Gangavati. However, I was not allowed to go there because of Modi's visit. I appealed but the authorities did not allow me. If this happens to an opposition leader, then think of the common man?

Siddaramaiah, CLP leader



Modi's roadshows will only help the Congress as there is a negative feeling about the BJP among people. The more Modi visits the state, the more the Congress benefits

Dinesh Gundurao, ex-KPC chief



Modi campaigning for Shivajinagar BJP candidate N Chandra, an attempt-to-murder accused, shows that rowdies, murderers and fraudsters are part of the party

Mukund Gowda, AAP leader

No easy waters at this confluence of rivers as top three fight it out

K SHIVA KUMAR @Mysuru

A popular pilgrimage centre, Tirumakudalu Narasipura, at the confluence of three rivers — Cauvery, Kabini and Spatika — is witnessing a triangular contest among Congress, JDS and BJP.

While Congress is trying to wrest the seat from JDS, BJP wants to make a comeback after 29 years in this Scheduled Caste reserved constituency.

Congress candidate HC Mahadevappa, who was a PWD minister in the Siddaramaiah cabinet, is seeking votes based on the development works he took up as a minister. He was instrumental in getting four bridges across Cauvery and a retaining wall along the river constructed. Also, he ensured that the Gunja Narasimha Swamy temple was developed.

In the last election, an alleged last-minute understanding between BJP and JDS made him lose by a margin of 28,000 votes. What worked against him was the anger of Lingayats against the Siddaramaiah government over caste status to Veerashaivas and Lingayats and Vokkaligas going all out against the then chief minister.

JDS picked Ashwin Kumar, a zilla panchayat member then, and ensured a thumping victory. This time too, the regional party has gone with Ashwin and is confident of his victory as he has been accessible to voters. The party is aiming for the votes of the dominant Vokkaliga community in Bannur Hobli and Nayaka community in Talakadu. It expects gains from Dalits too. The party shored up its campaigning by bringing in patriarch HD Deve Gowda and former chief minister HD Kumaraswamy to the constituency.

BJP has fielded physician Dr Revanna, whom people refer to as doctor. He is popu-

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2018 ASSEMBLY ELECTION	
Ashwin Kumar	83,929 VOTES
H C Mahadevappa	55,451 VOTES
Shankar	11,812 VOTES

lar here because of his service of the needy. The saffron party feels that the votes of Verashaivas, a large portion of Dalits and upper communities will take him to the victory podium.

Revanna said he has a vision to develop T Narsipur and to improve healthcare facilities at the Government Hospital. The party expects to reap a rich dividend of Dalit votes because of the government's decision to increase the SC/ST reservation.

In high-voltage campaigning, Congress brought in former MLA Sunitha Veerappa Gowda, Vokkaligara Sangha former president K Mahadev, former MLA Krishnappa and other leaders, who have camped in the constituency to get least 40 per cent of Vokkaligas votes to add to the party's kitty of Dalit, Kuruba and Nayaka votes.

Mahadevappa said people have realised their mistake of defeating him and will give him a mandate to take up development works.

BSP's Puttaswamy and AAP's Siddaraju too are in fray. What could worry Congress and JDS is better performance by BSP as it could eat into their Dalit vote share.

Priority for rejuvenation of lakes, khata conversion in JDS' manifesto for B'luru

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

JANATA Dal Secular (JDS) on Saturday released a separate manifesto for Bengaluru with priority to rejuvenate lakes and convert six lakh 'B' khata residential sites into 'A' khata.

JDS supremo and former prime minister HD Deve Gowda, who released the manifesto, said JDS prepared a separate manifesto for Bengaluru for the first time.

The manifesto promises to conduct a survey of 262 lakes in the city, clear encroachments and rejuvenate them. It also promises to clear encroachment of rajakaluves (drains) and prevent the entry of effluents into lakes.

To ease the drinking water problem, the party proposes to provide Cauvery water to 110 villages that were brought under the BBMP limits in 2007 and construct a reservoir near Mekedatu and fill Thippagondanahalli and Hesaraghatta reservoirs with water from the Yetthinhole project.

The manifesto states that "Bengaluru Operational Research Centre" will be set up to guide agencies such as BBMP, BDA and BWSSB. For afforestation, the manifesto promises to develop 300 parks in 110 villages that were brought under BBMP, besides encouraging house owners to plant saplings by offering them a Rs2,000-rebate on their annual property tax. It proposes to install solar lamps across the city by 2026.

To improve mobility, the party promises to develop a local commuter railway network by connecting all railway stations in the city and introduce electric buses from railway stations from 7 am to 10 pm. The manifesto says 1,100 child and elderly-friendly public toilets will be constructed.

PROMISES GALORE

30-bed multi-specialty hospital in each ward and creation of Bengaluru Public Health Board

10 kg free rice per person per month through PDS

₹10,000 Teachers of private schools with salary less than this to get financial aid

Animal birth control compulsory to end stray dog menace

Restructuring waste management system

Encouragement to install biogas plant in houses, residential and commercial complexes

Each zone of BBMP to be declared academic district



Hundreds of BMTC commuters hit

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

HUNDREDS of commuters had to bear the brunt of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's roadshow as they were left waiting for BMTC buses in many areas on Saturday. The Jayanagar bus terminal was shut entirely for a few hours. Many passengers had to wait till the roadshow ended, or had to walk and take alternative transport to reach their destinations.

A commuter, who wanted to go to KR Market from Sirsi Circle, decided to walk there instead of waiting for a BMTC bus.

Shaheen Shasha of Bengaluru Bus Prayanikara Vedike, a bus commuters group, said, "Po-



The Jayanagar bus terminal was shut down for several hours on Saturday morning | CHETAN MG

litical parties are supposed to work for the benefit of the public. But this relationship was inverse. People are expected to put up and shut up in the service of politics and political parties."

"Who pays for the price lakhs of people had to pay today due to the hours of blocked roads, unavailable buses and inability to go to work, or hospitals, or loss of business, and many other things that people have to do to get by and make a living? Why do we have to put our lives on hold for politicians to show off their power? And that too no less than the PM? Is this what a prime minister should do?" she said.

A BMTC official, who was present at the Jayanagar bus terminal, told TNIE that they have been directed by the police to shut the terminal. However, top BMTC officials maintained that buses were operated on alternative roads.

Bhoothada Baayalli Bhagwat Geete

The world's most corrupt party talks of corruption



The corrupt party for 65 years treated India and Karnataka as their family ATM.

They are like marauding bandits who rampage and steal from the people of Karnataka and India, like a parasite that sucks the blood of our people.

Their leaders have amassed countless wealth through unending scams and corruption; most of them are out on bail in various cases of corruption – shameless thieves who even stole Rs. 85 from every 100 meant for the poor, stole from money meant to strengthen our Defence, stole from money meant for our farmers, women and children, stole from projects meant for developing infrastructure of our villages and cities, stole from our Banks and Entrepreneurs too.

The list of plunder is long and never-ending and continues to this day in the few states where unfortunate people are literally paying the cost of having a Corrupt Party Government.

The Corrupt Party depends on Lies, Fake Guarantees and Votebank politics.

Corrupt Party Corruption looted from many generations of Kannadigas. These elections are the time to stop this Corrupt Party for good finally.

'Vote for BJP's Double Engine Sarkara'

EARTH TO GET DIGI TWIN, GIVE REAL-TIME CLIMATE CHANGE DATA

AI firm NVIDIA & Lockheed Martin initiative will help suggest sustainable solutions

PURAN CHOUDHARY @ Bengaluru

AS the earth warms up year after year, climate catastrophes like droughts, heat waves, hurricanes, earthquakes, storms and floods have taken to headlines way too often. To mitigate climate change, an integration between technology and climate data might prove fruitful.

An initiative by NVIDIA, a multinational artificial intelligence (AI) firm headquartered in Bengaluru, and Lockheed Martin aim to improve prediction of extreme weather conditions, aid in climate change projections, and analyse "what if" scenarios accurately. NVIDIA is working on Earth-2 or E-2, an exact replica of the Earth in 3D that will generate real-time data, monitor current global environmental conditions and predict weather patterns.

The concept is based on AI's digital twins: a virtual representation of the earth that will span throughout its life cycle, use simulations, machine learning and reasoning based on data. As the name suggests, a digital twin is a computational form of a physical object, the earth in this case. The model will help to suggest sustainable solutions and aid scientists, biologists, conservationists, environmentalists, and governments to plan better policies.

Genesys International Corporation is creating such digital twins for all Indian states, the latest being for the government of Andhra Pradesh,

which will create twins of land title records in order to reduce land disputes.

Chairman and Managing Director, Genesys, Sajid Malik said to TNSE, "Digital twins can bring a direct impact on urban planning. Issues related to flooding in cities and air quality can also be solved if this model can be applied." Malik described the concept of digital twins as an "angiogram" of a city.

"Integration of geospatial technology can have a huge impact on shaping our society, running our cities and helping with infrastructure development," Malik added. The concept of digital twins is not new, the application has been used in multiple industries such as smart cities, factories, manufacturing, retail and construction. The worldwide market for digital twin platforms is forecasted to reach \$86 billion by 2028, according to Grand View Research.

Co-Founder and CEO of ART-PARK, Umakant Joshi said, "To build such a system, there needs to be integration between physics and AI, where large variables are involved, which if achieved can simplify climate change prediction." However, Joshi called accurate digital twin of Earth a "moonshot", as such models need massive computational power which can only come from quantum computing.

TCS also developed a digital twin for Pune in the past, which allowed the government to understand which areas to lock or unlock, when buses should run and schools reopen.

Digital twins can bring a direct impact on urban planning. Issues related to flooding in cities and air quality can also be solved

Sajid Malik, CMD, Genesys

Activists release report cards, govt fairs badly

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

BHAUTVA Karnataka, an activist group, released report cards on the current government's performance. The BJP government received failing grades across multiple sections. The highest grade secured was a C for economic and fiscal management. The forum has asked citizens to vote wisely in the assembly election scheduled for May 10.

In the education department, the government secured a grade E, as 57.7% of teaching posts remain vacant in

government schools, only 23% of the state's government schools have basic infrastructure facilities, education and dignity was denied to female Muslim students due to hijab ban and promotion of sattvic food despite criticism from nutritionists, were the main highlights of the report.

For nutrition, it reported, "poor quality and quantity of mid-day meals, no surveys on malnutrition post pandemic despite having a high rate of malnourished cases and insufficient rations supplied to women and children." The report appreciated the govern-

ment's decision to give eggs to students and to encourage poultry farming, which got it a D grade. The report highlighted how crimes against women increased in the state, moral policing went up, and how ASHA workers and Pourakarmikas were named Covid Warriors, but their basic demands were unmet.

Vinay Srinivas, who worked on the reports said, "This review was undertaken as a measure to bring about accountability to our political system." He highlighted that the inability of middle classes to engage with the system is

one of the key deficits in democracy and the forum aims to change it.

The government failed in various other departments: democracy, rights of slum dwellers, federalism, labour and development of religious minorities. The group which consists of academics and civil society members also released a list of bills that were allegedly passed without consultation of the Karnataka Land Reforms Amendment Act, 2020, Karnataka Prevention of Cow Slaughter and Preservation of Cattle Act, 2021, and more.

Roadshow: Trees pruned, citizens fume

PURAN CHOUDHARY @ Bengaluru

Residents of several localities in the city have alleged that branches of many trees have been pruned for Prime Minister Narendra Modi's roadshow in the city.

They said Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) workers pruned branches of trees at Basavanagudi, Jayanagar, Basveshwara Nagar and Indiranagar.

Syed Salman's video of Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike workers pruning branches of trees near Krishna Rao Park on Friday shows at least two truck loads of branches cut for Modi's rally.

Salman said the workers, who were cutting branches near Krishna Rao Park, told him that they have been asked to do so for the PM's roadshow.

The permission of a tree officer is a must under the Karnataka Tree Preservation Act, 1976, to prune branches of trees. Salman said the trees near the park posed no threat to electric wires.

Vinay Srinivas, an activist, said, "Just because a politician is doing a rally, it doesn't mean the city's green cover should be destroyed."

Jagadeesh Naik, Joint Commissioner, BBMP South, dismissed the claims of residents and said BBMP keeps pruning branches of trees that pose a threat to motorists and public utilities. Usually, BBMP workers start pruning branches with the onset of monsoon, he added.



Traffic snarls up on Bull Temple Road after PM Narendra Modi's roadshow in Bengaluru on Saturday | VINOD KUMAR T

ASHA workers to be at polling stations as health assistants

Bengaluru : The Karnataka State United ASHA Workers Association has been directed to issue immediate orders for appointing ASHA workers as health assistants at the polling stations in various districts for election work. The Election Commission has given directions to ASHA workers to assist people coming to the polling booths. They are to provide ORS to people suffering from heat stroke and help them in case of other health problems. The Karnataka Health Department has also ordered the district administration to pay them appropriate remuneration if they are given any other work beyond the assigned work. The union is expected to make necessary arrangements for the workers and provide them with meals and snacks.

BMT, KSRTC deploy 40 per cent of buses for election duty

Bengaluru : As BMT and KSRTC have deployed more than 40% of their fleet for election duty to the district administration and the police, people have been told to plan their travel accordingly. The two corporations stated that regular bus services will be affected on May 9 and 10. While BMT has deployed more than 1,800 buses, KSRTC has given more than 7,500 buses. A top KSRTC official said though they have dedicated their fleet for poll duty, they have ensured that inconvenience caused to the public is minimum. "It is our duty to provide buses for poll duty. On the day of election, we are expecting fewer people to take buses as it is a holiday. Since only ordinary buses are pulled out of regular service, premium services will not be disrupted."

City arteries blocked: 25-min ride took 2.5 hrs, recalls doc

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

DOCTORS working at hospitals situated near the route of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's 26 km-long road show in Bengaluru struggled to reach the hospital on Saturday morning.

Dr CN Manjunath, Director, Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences said, "I live in Padmanabha Nagar, which is a 25 minutes ride to the hospital. Today it took me 2.5 hours to reach." Several other doctors faced the same issue. Many had to park their cars two km away from the

hospital and walk, which delayed their arrival.

Services were affected in the initial hours at the hospital as many doctors were not present, but resumed to normalcy later. Dr Manjunath said patient footfall was comparatively lesser. Usually 1,200 patients are seen at the outpa-

tient department but only 800 visited on Saturday.

Few doctors at KC General Hospital, located in Malleswaram, which was the end point of the road show, also faced issues due to road blockages and diversions and had to take alternate routes to reach the hospital, they said.



MCC: ₹15 cr in cash, gold worth ₹7cr seized

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

THE office of the chief electoral officer (CEO), Karnataka, shared a media report detailing the major Income Tax Department seizures on Saturday, as a part of Model Code of Conduct violations. According to the release, the IT department seized cash worth Rs 15.53 crore and 10.14 kg of gold worth Rs 7.08 crore on May 5, 2023.

The IT officials had seized Rs 4.77 crore in Shivajinagar constituency, Rs 3.44 crore in Rajarajeshwari Nagar constituency, Rs 3.35 crore in Malleswaram constituency, Rs 2.30 crore on Pulakeshinagar constituency, Rs 62.83 lakh in Shanthinagar constituency and Rs 55 lakh in Gandhinagar constituency. In addition to this, the officials seized Rs 30 lakh in Raichur constituency.

They also seized Rs 30 lakh in cash in four places of Hebbal, Shivajinagar, Chickpet and Jayanagar constituencies of Bengaluru Urban, where cash worth Rs 23.50 lakh was seized. Apart from this, the officials also seized 6.59 kgs of gold worth Rs 5 crore in four places-Hebbal, Shanthinagar and Gandhinagar constituencies. The IT department also seized Rs 3.55 kgs of gold worth Rs 2.08 crore in Raichur constituency, said the official release here.

EXPRESS READ

161st SLBC meeting, announces PSA

Bengaluru: The 161st SLBC meeting on Friday announced the total priority sector advances (PSA) achievement for FY 2022-23 as of the December quarter to be Rs 2,95,769 crore (89.57 per cent). Out of total priority sector advances, agriculture's achievement was Rs 1,59,752 crore (113.40 per cent) and MSE/MSME was Rs 1,17,835 crore (90.92 per cent).

Vandita Sharma, Chief Secretary, Hardeep Singh Ahluwalia, Executive Director of Canara Bank, Ramana Reddy EV, Additional Chief Secretary and Development Commissioner, N Raghunath, Chief General Manager and OIC, Reserve Bank of India, Sunanda Batra, General Manager, FIDD, Reserve Bank of India, T Ramesh, Chief General Manager, NABARD and A Muralikrishna, SLBC Convenor, General Manager, Canara Bank were present.

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8.	05231128/05.06.2023	Roof Arch Final Roof Arch	16054 Nos 1729 Nos	1082050/-
9.	05231097/01.06.2023	Set of Partition Frames	39 Set	85580/-
1. For details and making On-line bids, visit Website http://ireps.gov.in . Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in . Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at http://www.cce.gov.in 2. Tenders will close at 14.25 HRS. on due date and tender will be opened at 14.30 HRS. Tenders Sr. No.1 to 3 will be open at RCF Kapurthala and Sr. No. 4 to 9 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi. 3. For queries, contact IREPS Help desk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF help desk at 011-23378658. Note: GST Number of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them.				
PCMM				
CORRIGENDUM				
The following amendment is authorized against undernoted tenders:- (1) Tender No. 02231011 CCTV Surveillance system with networking system for 3-Phase MEMU Coaches Existing Due Date: 03.05.2023 To be read as: 18.05.2023 (2) Tender No. 02231046 5 KVA Transformer, 415/190V, 3Phase Dry Type Existing Due Date : 10.05.2023 To be Read as 17.05.2023 Existing Quantity: 331 Nos To be read as: 508 Nos. Existing Earnest Money: Rs.3,01,530.00 To be read as: Rs.4,62,770.00 (3) Tender No: 17231073 for procurement of Set of Fabricated items for L3ACEA Coach. Existing Due Date: 04.05.2023 To be read as: 11.05.2023 (4) Tender No. 14231035 Existing Due Date : 04.05.2023 To be Read as 10.05.2023				
PCMM				
No. : G-RCF/122/Stores/019/2023-24				
Dated: 06.05.2023				

FORMAT C-1 (For Candidate to Publish in Newspapers, TV)				
Declaration about criminal cases				
Name and address of candidate: R. ASHOKA, NO.123, SRI NILAYA, GRAPE GARDEN,SHARDAMBHANAGAR, JALAHALLI VILLAGE, BENGALURU - 560 013.				
Name of political party: BHARATIYA JANATA PARTY				
Name of Election: ELECTION TO THE KARNATAKA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY - 2023				
Name of Constituency: 171-PADMANABHANAGAR,184 - KANAKPURA				
I R. ASHOKA , a candidate for the above mentioned election declare for public information the following details about my criminal antecedents:				
(A) Pending criminal cases				
Sl No	Name of Court	Case No.and Dated	Status of case(s)	Section(s) of Acts concerned and brief description of offence(s)
1	Court of the LXXXI Additional City Civil and Sessions Judge, Bengaluru Metropolitan Area.	Cr. No.19/2018 (3rd January,2018) FIR No.5/2018 (Dated 8th January, 2018)	FIR No.5/2018 has been subsequently transferred to the Karnataka Lokayukta. SLP (Cr.) No.9070/2018 is pending before the Honourable Supreme Court with respect to FIR No. 5/2018, Vide Order dated: 26th October 2018, the Honourable Supreme Court has issued a stay. The said order continues to remain in force.	Sections 13(1) (c) and 13(1)(d) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and Section 420 read with Section 120B of the Indian Penal Code, 1860. It is alleged that the Committee for Regularisation of Unauthorised Occupation has committed certain irregularities in the process of regularization of unauthorised cultivations.
(B) Details about cases of conviction for criminal offences - NOT APPLICABLE				

Bank of Baroda
BTM Layout Branch

Sanskriti Signet, No.76, 1st Cross, BTM Layout 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560068, India, Ph:-91-80-26783144, Email-btmban@bankofbaroda.com, WWW.Bankofbaroda.com

NOTICE TO BORROWER/GUARANTOR
(UNDER SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

At your request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its Bank of Baroda, BTM Layout Branch. The relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged, this publication is now issued.

Name and Address of the Borrower/Co-Borrower/Mortgagor/Guarantor:
1) Mr. Sanjit Mondal S/o Umappa Mondal, 2) Mrs. Jhumpa Mondal W/o Sh. Sanjit Mondal, No. 13 to 16, 5th Cross, Ground Floor, Bathrahalli, Near Indian Oil Petrol Pump, Bengaluru. Also at: No.169, Mugma Near Shiv Madir, Madandi Dhanbad, Jharkhand, Pin-828205.

Nature And Type Facility	Limit (Rs.) Lakhs	Rate of Interest	O/s as on 15.04.2023 (Inclusive of interest up to 15.01.2023)
Term Loan Home Loan Account No. 29600600001976	Rs. 25.00 Lakhs	9.35%	Rs.21,83,432/- (Rupees Twenty One Lacs Eighty Three Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Two Only)

Security agreement with brief description of securities: 2BHK Flat Bearing Survey No as in agreement located at Apt.No.-0119 1st Floor, Tower C, GM Global Techies Town, having 950Sq. Ft. of Super built up area which consisting of 665 sq.ft. of Carpet Area situated at Thirupalya Village, Jigani Hobli Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560214 in the name of Sanjit Mondal and Mrs. Jhumpa Mondal.

Amount Outstanding :- Rs.21,83,432/- (Rupees Twenty One Lacs Eighty Three Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Two Only) (O/s as on 15.04.2023) + Interest from 15.01.2023 + Other Charges.

NPA Date : 15.04.2023 Demand Date : 17.04.2023

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Date : 06.05.2023
Place : Bengaluru
Sd/- Chief Manager,
Bank of Baroda

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ARM Branch-1
2nd Floor, No.86, Spencer Tower, M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001
PH: 080-25310066 Mob: 9883532366/9483585759
E-mail: cb2366@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM Branch-1, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank**, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **14/06/2023 (10.00 AM to 10.30 AM)**, for recovery of Rs.7,16,35,408.35/- with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from (1) M/s Yambo Fibres Private Limited, Sy.No. 75, Property No. 122/2, Bilwaradahalli, Banerghatta Road, Bangalore-560083. (2) Mr. Adnan Mavud (Director), #15, 1st Phase, 2nd Main, West of Chord Road, Rajaji Nagar, Bangalore - 560010. (3) Mr. Abdulla Mavud (Mortgagor/Guarantor) C/o Abdulla S Ahmed, #15, 1st Phase, 2nd Main, West of Chord Road, Rajaji Nagar, Bangalore - 560010.**

The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposits, Auction date, last date of submission of Bid details are as under. The Earnest Money shall be deposited by way of DD favouring Authorised Officer, Canara Bank, ARM Branch 1, Bangalore OR through online (RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer - IFSC CODE CNRB0002366) to the credit of the Account Number 209272434, Canara Bank, ARM Branch 1, Bangalore on or before **13.06.2023, 05.00 PM.**

Lot	Description of the immovable / Movable assets	Reserve Price	EMD	Incr-mental Value
1	All that piece and parcel of immovable residential property bearing site no. 1/100/2 & 3, Old Khatha no. 324, CMC Khatha no. 229, BBMP Khatha no. 324/11/100/2,3, 19th Main road, 43rd Cross, 5th block, situated at Hennur village, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru now in the limits of BBMP ward no. 24, measuring East to West: 40 feet and North to South: 66 feet totally measuring 2640 Sq.Ft. and consisting of 400 Sq.Ft. RCC building in the name of Abdulla Mavud and bounded on the East by Private property; West by Site no.2, North by Private property and South 30 ft. road.	₹.259.60	₹.25.96	₹.1.00
2	All that piece and parcel of immovable residential property bearing site no. 39, New municipal corporation no.22, BBMP PID no. 96-219-22 (formed out of Survey no. 36/2, Assessment no.36/2, formerly bearing Khashumari no. 39), Khatha no. 36 of Cholanayakanahalli, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward no. 22/Viswanatha Nagenahalli) Old ward no. 96 - Hebbal and measuring East to West on Northern side 30 feet, Southern side 34 feet and North to South on Eastern side 41, Western side 39 feet and comprising of 600 Sq. ft. asbestos cement sheet tenement in the name of Abdulla Mavud and bounded on the East by: Others property; West by: Property no. 40, North by: Others property & South by: road.	₹.108.90	₹.10.89	₹.1.00

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact Chief Manager, ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9483532366 during office hours on any working day.

Date : 06.05.2023
Place : Bengaluru
Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

TAMILNADU GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LTD
Notice Inviting Tenders (E-Tendering Process)

Sl.No.	Tender Inviting Authority	Specification No.	Total
1	CE/TPPS	3708-M	1

For details of works / Procurement / Due date of submission / opening, viewing and downloading of e-tenders, please visit website, www.tangedco.gov.in, www.tenders.in.gov.in, www.intenders.gov.in/nicgep/app

comktg@omfed.com
APPOINTMENT OF SUPER STOCKIST & CSA
Date: 07.05.2023

Applications are invited from aggressive, experienced & financially sound parties for appointment of channel partners for long shelf life items (Ghee, Dairy whitener, Flavored Milk, Turmeric Powder, Golabjamun, Rosogolla, UHT etc) across the various dairies

1. Super Stockist across various OMFED Dairy operational areas
2. CSA for the States of WB, NE, Jharkhand, Bihar and Chhattisgarh

Interested parties having required storage facility for keeping sufficient stock & logistics for distribution & marketing of these products at retail points may submit their application for above along with credential of experience in dealing with FMCG/Dairy products. Applicants must have the capability for investing capital to the tune of Rs.20-25 lakhs initially. Application along with financial/business details may be forwarded in the above address, and email id which should reach within 3 weeks of publication of this advertisement. Parties currently in the same line of business (Dairy products, FMCG) will be preferred. Shortlisted applicants shall be called for interview/discussion. Application form, terms and conditions, besides due statutory requirements etc. is published on the website www.omfed.com.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client Mr. Bhabootmal Khatri, S/o Narayanji, is intending to purchase immovable property which is more fully described herein under as "SCHEDULE PROPERTY" from Mr. C.B. Ramprakash, S/o Late C.R. Balaramiah Smt. Aged about 58 years, residing at #46, P. No. Janani, P.P. Layout, 3rd Cross, 2nd Main, B.S.K. 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-560 085. Any persons claiming to have any right title or interest of any nature, or claiming lien charged on the Schedule Property or has any objection/s should lodge such claims or objections in writing with the undersigned together with supporting documents, within 07 days (seven days) from this date, failing which it will be presumed that no person has valid claim or objection to complete the sale transaction and no claim or objection shall be entertained thereafter.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that piece and parcel of the immovable house property bearing No.31, formed by the BDA, situated at Banashankari 3rd Stage, Avadhali Extension, coming under the BBMP jurisdiction, Ward No.158, vide PID No.41-137-31, measuring East to West (1100+950)2 Meters and North to South (1540+1635)2 Meters, totally measuring 162.71 square meters or 1750 square feet, together with 909 square feet RCC building consisting of ground floor, and bounded by:
East by: Site No.32, West by: Road,
North by: Road & South by: Site No.60.
Address for service:
Jayaprakash Narayan, Advocate,
JP Law Associates, #139, M-2,
"Shalimar Galaxy", 1st Main Road,
Seshadripuram, Bengaluru- 560020.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby notified and informed that, my client **Smt. B. Suguna & Sugunamma**, W/o Sri. Manjunatha Reddy P.R, has been purchased the property mentioned in the schedule here under from Sri. Krishnamma and others by way of registered Sale deed, and linked document Original Gift deed No.1918/2023-04 in Book-1, CD No.124, SRO Bangalore South Taluk, dated 24.12.2023, and Sale deed No.VRT-1-05088-2007-08, Book-1, CD No. VRT1/18, SRO Varthur Bangalore, dated 05.07.2008. It is submitted that my client, while travelling in the BMTC bus said original document has been lost/stolen. I am persons in contact of the same or found they may kindly return the same to my client or the below mentioned address. In this regard my client also lodged a police complaint in respect of the lost document through online which has registered as Lost Report No.0555881/2023, on 06.05.2023.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that piece parcel of the Property bearing House List Khatha No. 19/1, Present BBMP Khatha No. 19/1, Old No. 19/11, Situated at Kankarodahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Property contents under BBMP Bangalore, measuring East to West: 30 feet and North to South: 15 feet, in all measuring 450 Square feet and bounded on the East by: Property belonged to Sri. Manjunatha Reddy, West by: Property belonged to Sri. Guppa Reddy, North by: Property belonged to Sri. Broomreddy, South by: Property belonged to Sri. Broomreddy.

E.T. Divakar, Advocate
No. 27, 3rd Floor, Hospital Road, Behind Mysore Bank, Near Menaka Theatre, Bangalore-560023.
Mob No: 9741818992 Date: 06.05.2023

KOCHI METRO RAIL LIMITED
(A joint venture company of Govt. of India & Govt. of Kerala)
4th Floor, J.N.S Stadium Metro Station, Kallacore, Ernakulam-682017
Ph: 0484-2846700

E-TENDER

1) Road Widening of Palarivattom Junction to Kunnumpuram Junction (CH. plus 900.00 to CH. plus 4550.00) in connection with KMR Phase II preparatory works
Tender id : 2023_kmr_574558_1
Last date of bid submission : 17-May-2023 06:00 PM

2) Construction of Flyover at Sreekrayam in Thiruvananthapuram
Tender id : 2023_kmr_575063
Last date of bid submission : 29.05.2023 05:30 PM

Tender documents can be downloaded from www.etenders.kerala.gov.in or www.kochimetro.org
Further corrigendum & addendum will be published only on website

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Chickpet-1 Branch : No 349, Komaria Towers, 1st Floor, OTC Road, Bengaluru - 560 053 (KA), PH : 080-22871182
Email: cb0406@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Notice issued under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

That you, have availed various loan against which there are outstanding liabilities as mentioned below. We had called upon you to clear the entire liabilities for the loans borrowed from our Branch. You have committed default in repayment of loans as mentioned below and the loans were classified as Non Performing Assets. The Bank through this notice brings to your attention that you have failed and neglected to repay the said dues/ outstanding liabilities and hence hereby demand you under Section 13(2) of the Act, by issuing this notice to discharge in full the liabilities of the Borrower as stated in hereunder to the Bank within 60 days from the date of receipt of this notice. The notice under Sec.13(2) of the Act sent to you by Post. Ack. has returned undelivered. Further, it is brought to your notice that you are also liable to pay future interest at the rate together with all costs, charges, expenses and incidental expenses with respect to the proceedings undertaken by the bank in recovering its dues. Please take note of the fact that if you fail to repay to the Bank the aforesaid together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs as stated above in terms of this notice under Section 13(2) of the Act, The Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub-section (4)(a) and (b) of Section 13. You are hereby restrained from dealing with any of the secured assets detailed below in terms of Section 13(13).

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

SL No.	Details of Borrower																
1	Branch Name : Chickpet-1 Branch, Borrower : 1. M/s Yogesh Pharmaceuticals, 125/9, 19, 3rd Floor, New Block, Balaji Complex, Sultanpet, Bengaluru 560053. 2. Smt Sudha L (Proprietrix) W/o Srikanth Raj G R, 3. Sri. Srikanth Raj G R (Guarantor) Both are at : 19, Benaka Nivas, 14th Cross, 1st Main, Srinidhi Layout, JP Nagar, Bengaluru. Balance Outstanding Amount : Rs. 1,11,48,360.61 (Rupees One Crore eleven lakhs forty eight thousand three hundred sixty and paise sixty one only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs. <table><tr><th>A/C No.</th><th>Nature of Loan</th><th>Liability With Interest As On Date 13.04.2023</th><th>Present Rate of Interest</th></tr><tr><td>0406261000488</td><td>OD/OCC</td><td>Rs. 88,05,613.31</td><td>12.45 %</td></tr><tr><td>0406755000014</td><td>GECL</td><td>Rs. 14,21,072.37</td><td>11.25 %</td></tr><tr><td>170002012460</td><td>GECL(Extn)</td><td>Rs. 9,21,674.93</td><td>11.25 %</td></tr></table>	A/C No.	Nature of Loan	Liability With Interest As On Date 13.04.2023	Present Rate of Interest	0406261000488	OD/OCC	Rs. 88,05,613.31	12.45 %	0406755000014	GECL	Rs. 14,21,072.37	11.25 %	170002012460	GECL(Extn)	Rs. 9,21,674.93	11.25 %
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Details of Security Assets : Immovable : All that piece and parcel of house built on Site No 19 in House list no 1077, House list katha No 107/ 19 situated in Chunchaghatta Village Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru- 560061. Measuring East to West (33+37)/2 feet, North to South 30 feet total 1050 Sqft and bounded on the : East by : Road, West by : Property No 28, North by : Property No 18 and South by : Property No 20. Name of Title holders Sri. Srikanth Raj G.R. Notice Date : 13.04.2023 	
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Place : Bangalore Date : 06.05.2023	Authorised Officer Canara Bank
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Tumkur Grain Merchants Co-op Bank Ltd.,
Head Office : B.H. Road, Tumkur-572103, Karnataka,
Phone : 0816-2257636 / 4021102-103, Fax : 0816-2255905,
Email : tgmcb_ho@hotmail.com, tgmcb_ho@tgmcbank.com, Website : www.tgmcbank.com

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF CHAPTER III OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

At their request, Bank has extended credit facilities to the below mentioned individuals against secured assets through its below mentioned branches. The relevant particulars of the property on which they have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way deposit of title deeds are furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facilities have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non Performing Assets in accordance with the directives / guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrower in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice sent by register AD calling upon them, was un-served/not acknowledged / addressee left / this publication is now issued.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower: Sri. Krishnappa G S/o Late Gurnavaiah, 2. Sri Puneeth Kumar K S/o Sri. Krishnappa G, 3. Smt. Bhagya K D/o Krishnappa G, All are residing at : No.45, 1st Cross, Nettigere Bolare Post, Kanakapura Road, Bangalore-560062, Surety : 4. Sri. Girish B G S/o Govindiah, Devalapura Hobli, Nagamangala Taluk, Balekere Village, Mandya-571401.

(Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

Description of the property : All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Assessment No. 41 formed out of Sy No.41, Situated at Malagala Village, Rajarajawasi Nagara CMC bearing Katha No. 41/41, Yashwantha pura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore district, Now comes under B M P limits bearing Katha No 41/41 Ward No 127- Mudalpalaya. Measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 15 feet totally measuring 600 Sq feet building there on and Bounded by : East by : Road, West by : Site No. 45, North by : Site No. 40, South by : Remaining Portion of same property.

(1) Account Number : 3030356869 Limit : Rs. 15,00,000.00
(2) Account Number : 30305394337 Limit : Rs. 1,66,400.00

Out Standing Loan Amount :- Rs.12,38,267/- (Rupees Twelve Lakh Thirty Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Sixty Seven Only) as on 04-05-2023 with further interest thereon with effect from Dt. 05-05-2023 at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.

Date of NPA: 07-10-2022 Demand Notice dtd: 05-05-2023 Branch : Jayanagar

2. Name and Address of the Borrower: 1. M/s. Sree Maruthi Cable Network, Proprietor: Mr Chandra R, 2. Smt. Rukmini, G. W/o Chandra R, Both are residing at : 25/1, Flat No.G03, Ground Floor, Devi Ram Gardens, 2nd Cross, Kodihalli, HAL 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560008, Surety: 3. Mr. Devanand M S/o Muniyappa, Residing At No 386, New No 108, 9th Cross, Next To Kalpana Paradise, Venkateswara Temple Road, Kodihalli, HAL 1st Stage, Bangalore-560008.

(Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

Description of the property : SCHEDULE "B"-1 (Entire property) : All that part and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No.25, situated at 2nd Cross, Kodihalli Main Road, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Ward No. 74- Jeevan Bhima Nagar, Bangalore, totally measuring 3890 sq feet and bounded on : East by: Private property, West by : Road, North by: Jeevanadi Hamle Apartments, South by: Private property.

SCHEDULE "B"-2 (Property Mortgaged) : All The piece and parcel of Flat bearing No. G03, bearing BBMP Katha No.25/1-2-1, and its PID No.74-57-25/1-2-1, on Ground Floor in the Residential apartment known as "DEVIRAM GARDENS", built on schedule B-1 property with super built up area of 1085 sq feet approximately inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts staircases and other areas of common use with one covered car parking space in the Basement floor together with 260Sq feet of undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule "B"-1 property equivalent, bounded by East : Property of Padmanabha Reddy, West: Kodihalli Main Road, North: Private Property, South: Property of Gopal.

(1) Account Number : 30304600603 Limit : Rs. 20,00,000.00
(2) Account Number : 30305394326 Limit : Rs. 2,52,000.00

Out Standing Loan Amount :- Rs. 18,70,733/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakh Seventy Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty Three Only) as on 04-05-2023 with further interest thereon with effect from Dt. 05-05-2023 at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.

Date of NPA: 06-12-2022 Demand Notice dtd: 05-05-2023 Branch : Jayanagar

3. Name and Address of the Borrower: 1. M/s. Elim Resorts Private Limited, Represented By Its Director, Mrs. Anuja Rajeev W/o Rajeev M R, 2. M/s. Elim Resorts Private Limited, Represented By Its Director, Mrs. Anuja Rajeev W/o Rajeev M R, Both are residing at : # Sy No.175, Nettigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Dist. 560 082, Surety: 3. Sri. MR Rajeev, S/o Late Ranganath M R, 4. Mrs. Anuja Rajeev W/o Rajeev M R, Both are residing at : C/7/2, Oakyard Apartment, 38th C Main, 9th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560 069.

(Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

Description of the property : Item No.1 : All that piece and parcel of the converted Land bearing converted Sy No.41 (vide Conversion order No.ALN: (SU).N.CIRCLE: SR/10/2010-11 dated 02.02.2011 issued by The Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist, Bangalore) measuring 1 Acre 2 Guntas including 0.02 guntas of Kharab land of dry land (45,738 Sq feet of land) situated at Nettigere village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Dist. Building thereon and bounded on: East By: Sy.No.165 and 176, West By: Government Halla, North By: Sy.No.165 and Govt Halla, South By: Sy.No.175 and remaining portion of Same Sy No.41.

Item No.2 : All that piece and parcel of Dry Land bearing Sy No.41 Measuring 0-15 Guntas (Somanahalli Grama Panchayath Katha No.522/41) duly converted for Non-Agricultural Sports ground (Amusement Park) purposes order issued by the Office of the Deputy commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore Vide Order No.ALN:(SU): N.CIRCLE/N.8/2011-12 dated 05.02.2013 situated at Nettigere village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Dist Building thereon and bounded on: East By: Land in Sy No.176, West By: Remaining land in Sy No.41, North By: Remaining land in Sy No.41, South By: Land in Sy No.175.

Item No.3 : All that piece and parcel of the dry Land bearing Sy No.175 Measuring 1 Acre (Somanahalli Grama Panchayath 522/175) duly converted for Non-Agricultural Sports Ground (Amusement Park) purposes order issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist, Bangalore vide No.ALN:(SU):N.CIRCLE/N. 8/2011-12 dated 05.02.2013 situated at Nettigere village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk Bangalore Dist. Building thereon and bounded on: East By: Land in Sy No.176, West By: Remaining land in Sy No.175, North By: Land in Sy No.41, South By: Remaining Land in Sy No.175 and Land in Sy No.42.

Item No.4 : All that piece and parcel of the Land bearing converted Sy No.175 converted for Non-Agricultural commercial purposes as per conversion order bearing No.ALN:(SU): SR: 80/2009-10 dated 23.02.2010 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist, Bangalore situated at Nettigere village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Dist, measuring 19 Guntas out of 1 Acre 19 Guntas land of dry Building thereon and bounded on: East By: Land in Sy No.175, West By: Remaining land in Sy No.175 belongs to D Gundappa, North By: Land in Sy No.41, South By: Road. Rural Development and Panchayath Raj Department has issued E katha bearing No 150200302000820116 for the above said 4 items totally measuring 11736.88 Sq Meters. (2 Acre 36 guntas)

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(2) Account Number : 30305001052 Limit : Rs. 8,70,00,000.00
(3) Account Number : 30305155843 Limit : Rs. 1,50,00,000.00
(4) Account Number : 30305393559 Limit : Rs. 16,40,900.00
(5) Account Number : 30305393683 Limit : Rs. 1,00,15,700.00

Out Standing Loan Amount :- Rs. 11,35,66,255.00 (Rupees Eleven Crore Thirty Five Lakh Sixty Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Five Only) as on 04-05-2023 with further interest thereon with effect from Dt. 05-05-2023 at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realization.

Date of NPA: 06-11-2022 Demand Notice dtd: 05-05-2023 Branch : Jayanagar

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of the notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub

₹100 cr graft in AI camera deal, says Satheesan

Kerala Leader of Opposition says father-in-law of CM's son attended meeting of consortium for Safe Kerala project

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Kochi

INTENSIFYING his attack against Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan and the state government, Leader of Opposition V D Satheesan has alleged that the corruption linked to the acquisition and setting up of AI cameras under the Safe Kerala project would surpass Rs 100 crore.

Satheesan alleged that Prakash Babu, father-in-law of CM's son, had attended a meeting of the consortium of companies for the project. "He termed it a 'dream project' while speaking at the meeting," said Satheesan.

He said the commercial proposal of Rs 57 crore submitted by Trois, one of the companies enlisted for technical support



Kerala Leader of Opposition V D Satheesan exhibits documents on the Rs 100-crore corruption in the AI camera deal during a press meet in Kochi on Saturday | A SANESH

for the Safe Kerala project, was higher than the market rates. "Besides, the system proposed was outdated. The entire system, including the cameras,

control room, annual maintenance, and furniture, would cost not more than Rs 45 crore. However, the tender was awarded for Rs 151 crore. Hence, there

Opposition fabricating stories, says Pinarayi

Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan, who has remained silent on allegations relating to the AI camera project, on Saturday said the corruption accusations levelled by Opposition parties were aimed at spoiling the second anniversary celebrations of his government. Without explicitly referring to the controversy, Pinarayi said the Opposition won't have its way. "The second anniversary is on and people will know about the government's achievements," he said.

Kochi on Saturday, Satheesan said the owner of Presadio Technologies Pvt Ltd, a company that won the sub-contract of the project, had not denied claims regarding the presence of Prakash Babu at the meeting.

Evidence claims

Responding to the claims of Industries Minister P Rajeev in this regard, Satheesan said if an inquiry by an appropriate agency is ordered, he will produce evidence to prove that Prakash Babu had attended the meeting.

"I challenge the government to tell the truth whether any of the companies that had withdrawn from the consortium later approached Prakash Babu to get their investments back," he said.

Not high and dry: Liquor prices peg up in Mysuru

K SHIVA KUMAR @ Mysuru

WITH liquor stores under the scanner due to the Model Code of Conduct, tipplers have started stocking up to prevent a high and dry situation during elections.

Since stores will have to down shutters 48 hours before polling day on May 10, for many it is time to shine in the black market where liquor is sold at three times the prevailing rates as regular stores are facing scarcity.

Sources said many in villages have stocked liquor illegally. They are waiting for the moment when demand is too

high to match supply and sell it at exorbitant prices. In many villages,

tetra packs of local brand is being sold at Rs 150 instead of Rs 70. Ashok, a liquor seller, said that their stocks are dwindling as it is regulated by the Election Commission, but they are getting supply from the factories which has kept them going. Local leaders are also putting pressure on shop owners for bulk supplies to quench the thirst of their cadres on dry days. "I could not refuse them as they had paid me advance for the order. So, there is little left for customers," said a wine shop owner.

A Ravishankar, Excise DC, Mysuru Rural, said patrolling staff has been deployed to prevent MCC violations. "Till now, liquor worth over Rs 3 crore have been seized and cases registered," he said. Patrolling will be intensified from Monday to ensure zero violations and effective implementation of dry days.

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A wine shop owner from Mysuru

Empowerment of poor better than entitlement: FM

ENS @ Bengaluru

UNION Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman said on Saturday that empowerment of the poor over entitlement of the poor is a better way to ensure poverty alleviation in the country.

Responding to a question from a student of the Malleswaram Ladies' Association First Grade College for Women, at an interactive session organised by the Thinkers Forum on Saturday, Nirmala said that rather than freebies, the government

is currently working on providing housing, access to water and primary healthcare facilities, as well as skilling opportunities, to ensure that the poor are uplifted.

"Poverty alleviation can be achieved through various different measures. If you can recognise that the citizens will have to be accessing basic facilities, post which he and his family can decide on how to find their own path, it is one way. It is another way to say that the government has deter-



mined that you are below the poverty line, so allot some money and make that the end of the story," she said.

She said that several efforts are being made to improve the

standard of living of the poor: "Prime Minister Narendra Modi's attempt to provide housing, water access directly through the tap within the house, electricity, basic toilet facilities, access through the road, health services, primary health centres and, without having to pay or prove your identity, access to medical aid. This empowerment of the poor rather than entitlement of the poor is a better, dignified and self-respecting way for the poor to become better," she said.



Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin releases a souvenir of achievements at the Second Anniversary of his government in Chennai on Saturday | P JAWAHAR

Those who discriminate cannot understand Dravidian model: Stalin

ENS @ Chennai

CHIEF Minister MK Stalin said on Saturday that those who differentiate people on the lines of caste, religion, power, and arrogance cannot understand what the Dravidian model is.

Though the CM did not refer to the governor in his speech, his remarks came just days after Governor RN Ravi called Dravidian ideology "an expired one" and a "mere political slogan".

Speaking at a function held in Chennai to mark the DMK government's completion of two years in office, Stalin said, "We need not worry about those who hold positions which are not connected to the people. I have been functioning with the objective to discharge my duties. We also don't need to respond to those who ask what the Dravidian model is because your (people's) happiness and smiling faces answer that question."

"The Thirukkural says all

are equal by birth and the Dravidian model is aimed at everything for everyone. But those who differentiate people on the lines of caste, religion, power, and arrogance cannot understand this. The face of this government is love, democracy, simplicity, equality, and social justice. That is why this government is being criticised by a few while liked by many. This government is based on social justice, self-respect, equality, and brotherhood."

The CM said the DMK government has delivered some benefit to all eight crore people of the state, including children, women, youth, transgenders, fisher men, differently-abled, people from marginalised sections of the society, and elders. Stalin also presented a list of welfare schemes being implemented by his government.

He presented a progress report of his government during the past two years and said so far, 350 departmental meetings were chaired by him and 6,905 files were signed by him.

Prez makes light of blackout during convocation

HEMANT KUMAR ROUT & SUKANTA SAHU @ Bhubaneswar/Baripada

IN what was a huge embarrassment for Odisha government, the auditorium of Maharaja Sriram Chandra Bhanja Deo University where President Droupadi Murmu was delivering her convocation speech plunged into darkness following a power outage, on Saturday. The President though continued to speak with help of a reading light fitted to the podium for about eight minutes as the organizers scrambled to fix the problem.

Murmu was speaking at the 12th convocation of the university when the fault occurred

and the hall went dark although the air-conditioners and sound system continued to function. The first citizen made light of the situation by saying the "lights seem envious" with the rapid strides the university has taken in creating modern infrastructure for students and entrepreneurs.

As the auditorium remained in darkness from 11.56 am to 12.04 pm, the President was unperturbed by disruption. She even recited a line from eminent poet Mayadhar Mansingh's works: "Andhar jetiki aalua setiki ehi je gahana

bana.." (There is illumination as much as darkness in the heart of forest..).

As the fiasco went viral on social media and the poor arrangements came in for flak, Vice Chancellor of the university, Prof Santosh Tripathy, apologised and assured an inquiry to find out the reasons. The government directed Revenue Divisional Commissioner

Suresh Dalei to probe the incident. He said there was no power failure to the venue, rather an internal wiring fault led to the blackout. "The ACs and sound systems were functioning fine but the certain wiring fault led

to the problem with the lighting systems. Necessary action will be taken after we get the inquiry report," he said.

Meanwhile, the university suspended electrician Jayant Tripathy. A three-member team comprising the registrar, PG council chairman and development officer was formed to investigate lapses and fix responsibility. The team submitted the preliminary inquiry report which pointed at the internal wiring faults. Harish Kumar Panda, superintending engineer of Tata Power Northern Odisha Distribution Ltd, the distribution company, too blamed the faults on the internal wiring of the auditorium.

AP students in Manipur wait for help

ENS @ Vijayawada

THE Andhra Pradesh government on Saturday issued helpline numbers and set up control rooms to facilitate the evacuation of 200 students who are stranded in violence-hit Manipur.

According to officials there are close to 150 students from AP studying at National Institute of Technology (NIT) in Imphal. A few others are studying at various colleges there. Some students said that violence had erupted just 500 metres from the NIT boys' hostel.

"Over the past two days, the situation has only gotten worse," T Jeevanasri, a student at NIT, lamented and requested the YS Jagan Mohan Reddy government to help evacuate them.

Expressing fear for her life, she said, "The Telangana government has reportedly arranged flights to evacuate students from the state, but they are not allowing us (students from AP) to go with them. Our college management is not responding to any of our calls."

The government has set up a control room at AP Bhavan in New Delhi to assist Andhra students stranded in Manipur. In a release, officials of AP Bhavan said, "We are in constant touch with the Manipur government and local administration to ensure all help to the students. The Manipur government has also issued helpline numbers to assist people affected by the law and order situation in the state."



Child marriage still valid if victim does not annul it before court

JEGADEESWARI PANDIAN @ Madurai

THE vacation bench of the Madurai Bench of the Madras High Court on Friday refused to recognise the second marriage of a child marriage victim by pointing out that she, who is now a major, has not annulled her child marriage before entering into the second marriage.

A Bench of justices M Dhandapani and R Vijayakumar took the stand in an order passed by it on a habeas corpus petition filed by one Ilavarasan, alleging that his 21-year-old wife has

been illegally detained by her family as they got married against her family's wishes.

The judges noted that the woman was already married to her relative when she was a minor and neither she nor her parents had challenged the said marriage so far. Hence, the marriage that took place between her and Ilavarasan on April 24, 2023, is invalid, since the earlier marriage is still not void, the judges held.

Another reason cited by the Bench for not granting relief to Ilavarasan was that the couple's marriage had been con-

ducted by an advocate Kanagasabai and deputy secretary of the state legal wing of the Tiruppur district trade union, Balamurugan. The duo had even issued a 'self-respect marriage' certificate to the couple, the judges noted and wondered what authority the advocates had to perform special marriages in their office or trade union.

Referring to the court's decision in a similar case in 2014, the judges observed that marriages performed by advocates in their offices are not valid un-

less registered under the Tamil Nadu Registration of Marriages Act, 2009, as the physical appearance of the couple before the Registrar is essential under the Act. They directed the Bar Council of Tamil Nadu and Puducherry to take disciplinary action, within three months, against Kanagasabai and Balamurugan and similar advocates across TN, who conduct such marriages and issue fake certificates to couples, after issuing notices to them. "The law

enforcement agency is also at liberty to proceed against the lawyers, who are performing these types of marriages, as well as the petitioner in the manner known to the law," they added and dismissed the petition.

As per Section 3 of the Prohibition of Child Marriage Act, 2006, child marriage is voidable at the option of the victim child, provided that she files a petition before the district court to annul the marriage.

The law enforcement agency is also at liberty to proceed against the lawyers, who are performing these types of marriages, as well as the petitioner in the manner known to the law — Madras High Court

DECODING PAWAR POLITICS AND POWER OPTICS

It is said a week is a long time in politics. In the rambunctious political landscape of Maharashtra, half a week is long enough.

On Tuesday, Sharad Pawar announced that he was stepping down from his post as the chief of the Nationalist Congress Party. The announcement registered on the Richter scale of Maharashtra and national politics. Speculation about the reasons and consequences followed. The received wisdom was that this opened up the path for his nephew Ajit Pawar, who has not been coy about his ambition to be the chief minister, to re-align his flock with the BJP in the state. As it turns out the committee which was formed to choose his successor rejected his resignation.

On Friday evening, 82-year-old Sharad Pawar, ever the protocol conscious politician, cited public sentiment and withdrew his resignation. India's political history is replete with offers of resignation and withdrawals. The significance is the timing and the political conjunction. The speculation now is that the wily Maratha strongman, Sharad Pawar has effectively isolated Ajit Pawar and defanged his ambitions. The tantalizing nature of Sharad Pawar's political moves is that both the theories, of enabling and disabling Ajit Pawar, are plausible and both could be baseless. Even the Croatian genius who could beat the Russian roulette would have trouble decoding Pawar politics.

Early on in his career Pawar displayed audacious ambition and illustrated his ability for collaborative action. In 1978 the young Pawar – on the diktat of his mentor Y B Chavan – toppled the Vasantdada Patil government in Maharashtra deploying a rainbow coalition of parties from the left and the right to emerge at 38 as the youngest CM of Maharashtra. Ousted in 1980, Pawar toured every district of Maharashtra and legend has it that he can identify and name political workers in each of the 288 assembly constituencies in Maharashtra.

This connectivity with ground realities is critical to Pawar power. It came handy four decades later, as he weaponised the slur of an ED case and thwarted the BJP from attaining majority. He pulled the plug on an attempt by Ajit Pawar to form a government with the BJP – and political folklore has it that it had the sanction of Pawar. He then installed an unprecedented coalition of Shiv Sena, NCP and the Congress. The irony is that many in his party believe that Ajit Pawar is poised to do a Pawar again splitting the NCP to align with the BJP and hence the fog of speculation.

Long before it became currency in geopolitics Sharad Pawar subscribed to the idea of strategic autonomy. This obviously irked the Congress. In fact his friendship with Chandra Shekhar got him into trouble with Rajiv Gandhi in 1990. Pawar has nurtured friendships across the aisle – whether it was the Abdullahs and Badals in the north or Jayalalithaa and Karunanidhi in the south. Although his party (first the Congress-S and now NCP) has rarely set records Pawar has punched way above the weight of his party's electoral profile. Thanks to the network effect across politics, business, sports and society, his mastery over administration and perception of being pro-reforms, for decades Pawar retained the moniker of 'potential prime ministerial candidate'.

Decoding Pawar politics requires understanding contextual ambiguity. In 1999, he split from the Congress to form the NCP. The party then aligned with Congress in Maharashtra in 1999 and then in the Centre as a member of the UPA in 2004. Recent events have brought this felicity for politically strategic pivot under the spotlight. In early April, Pawar split ranks with the opposition – particularly the Congress – and stated that he did not share the opinion of allies about the demand for a JPC on the Hindenburg report on Gautam Adani's companies. It is true that Pawar has shunned the targeting of business leaders in the political arena. What fuelled the flames of speculation is that Pawar also met with Adani a couple of weeks after issuing the statement.

The political context of the events and utterances is critical. For weeks now the media mills have been abuzz with speculation of a change of guard in Mantralaya. There is the pending judgment from the Supreme Court on the formation of the Shinde-led regime. There is also growing disaffection between the Shinde-led Sena and the BJP. But the saga is less about Maharashtra and much more significantly about the 2024 elections.

Maharashtra accounts for 48 seats in the Lok Sabha and the electoral math matters. The BJP has coined the slogan 'Mission Maha Vijay' and set a target of 45 seats – a C-Voter India Today poll though has the BJP trailing the MVA coalition. The gap between the MVA and the NDA apparently is in rural and Maratha votes. The assessment is that the BJP needs an alignment with the NCP to bring in those votes. The risk-rewards matrix includes pressure of the agencies on NCP leaders and a share of power. And the key to the vote bank is with Sharad Pawar.

On April 19, Pawar's daughter and Baramati MP Supriya Sule is said to have predicted two political earthquakes, one in Maharashtra and one in Delhi in 15 days. Ostensibly the first one was Sharad Pawar's resignation and withdrawal. Presumably, the second quake is awaited.



THE THIRD EYE
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MIXING CASTE & SPORTS SHAMES 'BHAVYA BHARAT'



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ATHLETES are a nation's pride and joy. Politics thrives on false pride and ploy. The scandalous sight of cops grappling on the lawns of New Delhi's Jantar Mantar with female wrestlers protesting sexual harassment by a powerful BJP politician is a matter of national shame. If Olympic sportspersons who have brought India worldwide honour can be sacrificed on the abasing altar of caste politics, the hope for a new India becomes a fragile flame flickering in the darkness of a medieval, casteist mindset, which has been a slur on our society and polity for centuries. Instead of treating the issue as a cry for justice by the victims against their tormentor, the controversy has been converted into a war of words between Thakur and Jats. It is being fought in the fractious universe of social media between caste champions from both sides. Suddenly, community-based handles like Jat Association, Jat Samaj, and Thakurs of India, etc., have popped up on Twitter and Facebook, swearing loyalty to the nation and accusing each other of betraying Bharat during the Mughal and British rule. Such harmful handles with fewer than 50,000 followers get activated during political battles. Over half a dozen Indian wrestlers have been striking on the streets for the past few months for punitive action against Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh, the 66 year old Thakur president of the Wrestling Federation of India, for the past 12 years. They ac-

cuse him of sexually assaulting female wrestlers even while they were striving to win medals for the country. Led by Olympians like Sakshi Malik and Vinesh Phogat, the protesters claim that seven of their group, including a minor, filed a complaint against Singh a few months ago. But no visible action was taken by the authorities, including the Sports Ministry.

While they continue to sit on an indefinite dharna, their battle for justice has, as usual, acquired caste and political dimensions. A couple of self-appointed Thakur well-wishers took it upon themselves to defend Singh, aka the Don of the East and a six time Lok Sabha MP. The Thakur Association fired the first caste missile against the

wrestlers, mostly from the Haryana Jat community. They took their cue from Singh's statement: "The entire world knows that all these women are from the Mahadev Wrestling Academy and (Congress leader) Deepender Singh Hooda is the patron of that akhada." Soon, various Thakur organisations took to social media, calling the agitating wrestlers traitors. The Jat Association tweeted back in Hindi: "If this wrestler is a Jat. So, who was the traitor Jaichand who brought the Mughals to the country? Who was the Gwalior royal family who betrayed the queen of Jhansi and the country? Who was Akbar's general Man Singh?" Not in a mood to lose an argument, Thakurs of India retorted: "When your turn is over, have the ability to answer my questions. (1) Who was the one who rubbed his nose in front of the Mughals in the Battle of Ghaseda? (2) Which king of Bharatpur used to go to the

Jaipur court to mark attendance? (3) What were Surajmal's relations with the Jadon dynasty?" They even claimed that Thakurs led by BJP MP and Olympic shooter Rajyawardhan Singh Rathore have won more medals for India than Jats since Independence. The latter hit back by tweeting: "The movement of women wrestlers is being forcibly linked to Jat society. Abusive words are being written for Jat society by the youth of society, and mothers and sisters are being abused. In such a situation, standing with society is the only religion. If you say bad words for Jat society, then history books will be overturned, and what has never been written till now will also be written."

Traditionally Rajputs and Jats have

been at loggerheads for ages. Rajputs claim royal lineage, while only a few kings in North India, particularly in Rajasthan, Western UP and Haryana, were Jats. It is not surprising that Singh got Thakur sympathy despite his tainted record. He had been arrested under confidence motion by the Congress in 2008 and is an accused in many criminal cases. But his caste carries more weight than his criminal talents. It stands between justice for the girls and jail for the don. Delhi Police is taking its own sweet time even after registering two FIRs against Singh: one under the draconian POCSO Act. Normally, police across the country would arrest such accused persons immediately. But Singh still enjoys full freedom to act and activate his caste card and party supporters. In the beginning, sports enthusiasts were shocked when PT Usha, a recently nominated Rajya Sab-

ha MP and the first woman Chief of the Indian Olympic Association, chastised the agitating wrestlers. It sparked a vicious backlash against her insensitive remarks. Prominent sports persons such as Kapil Dev, Navjot Singh Sidhu, and Sania Mirza strongly castigated the establishment for treating the sportswomen shoddily. Olympic gold medallist Neeraj Chopra, who belongs to Haryana, asked the authorities to take quick action: "It hurts me to see our athletes on the streets demanding justice. They have worked hard to represent our great nation and make us proud. As a nation, we are responsible for safeguarding the integrity and dignity of every individual, athlete or not. What's happening should never happen."

Cynically, the opportunistic political parties saw an opportunity in the players' pain. Non-BJP Opposition leaders, including Priyanka Gandhi, Arvind Kejriwal and leaders from the South, reached Delhi to offer the girls support and attack the government. Jantar Mantar became a battlefield where players were being cheered not for winning medals but for causing embarrassment to the BJP, whose cheerleaders countered with a media blitz to derail and defame the agitation. The government symbolically took over WFI instead of forcing Singh to quit his post. With both Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Home Minister Amit Shah away campaigning in Karnataka, the BJP officially maintained a cryptic silence. Elections are due in Rajasthan later this year, followed by the Lok Sabha and Assembly polls in Haryana. While Rajputs dominate and dictate the poll outcome in Rajasthan, the Jat community calls the shots in Haryana. The BJP is caught between the two martial castes. Today it is sports, not politics, that has acquired the ugly colours of caste. Powerful persons promoting prurient political productions beat the feats of champions and demoralise heroes who represent India's soft power at home and abroad. Maiming a monstrous Singh would prevent the mauling of India's image.



THE UNWITTING SPECTATORS OF OUR TIMES



OPINION
SUDHIR SRINIVASAN
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WHAT strange, complicated times we live in. Multiple hashtags have all been blazing on social media – and if you weren't paying attention, you could be forgiven for being rather bewildered. One that began doing the rounds was #TheKeralaStory, which, of course, pertains to the Hindi film of the same title, the recipient of many a fiery takedown for its incendiary politics. The film, about the trafficking of gullible Kerala girls by the Islamic State, paints what has been deemed a dishonest, exaggerated picture of the situation – its likely objective to fan the flames of insecurity among Hindus by suggesting that 'love Jihad' is entirely in force in Kerala. Even more contentious has been the suggestion by the film (and its promotional material) that 32,000 women from the region have been duped into joining ISIS so far, a colossal figure that does not seem substantiated by any official data.

The resistance to such a narrative has been swift, particularly in Kerala and Tamil Nadu. As a result, #BantheK-

eralaStory began trending. Litigations were filed seeking a ban on the screening of this film, but they have all been rejected – the latest to do so is the Madras High Court, which also pointed out that other courts have not had a problem with this film. The courts have also pointed out that the Censor Board didn't raise any objections either.

Amid the battle of these hashtags, another – #TheRealKeralaStory – has also jumped into the fray. This one pertains to the release of a new Malayalam film, 2018, which is suggested as an opposing alternative to The Kerala Story and which is being celebrated by Malayali audiences for reflecting the real, resilient spirit of the state. This new film by director Jude Anthany Joseph pays homage to the brave people from many walks of life who stood united and survived the onslaught of the 2018 Kerala floods.

In many ways, we are akin to spectators of a tennis match. As the rallies between opponents continue, we turn our heads left and right, desperately trying to keep an eye on the ball – which, in this case, would be the shifting narratives and the back-and-forth arguments. An attacking forehand. One side claiming that Kerala Hindu women are gullible victims of a mass recruitment drive by ISIS. A defensive slice. The other side decrying the release of a film that seems like a smear campaign on Kerala, with its use of exaggerations and half-truths.

This is starting to feel like a pattern in this new India, isn't it? Just a few months ago, we struggled to keep pace with arguments for and against the de-

piction of the Kashmir pandits exodus. Hindu pandits are victims, they said, but critics argued against the lack of nuance and worried about the incendiary power of generalisations. It's a different film now, but is the debate so different? Again, a new film, under the guise of encouraging Hindus to be proud of their culture and religious identity, aims to be provocative and encourage the vilification of the other. Perhaps a good question to raise under these circumstances is whether pride in our identity is predicated on mistrust and antagonism to-

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wards another's. If yes, is such pride humane or useful?

There's an example of a recent film that spoke of cultural and historic pride (of Tamils) without needing an enemy to achieve its end. Mani Ratnam's Ponniyin Selvan 2 (based on Kalki's great historical fiction novel) speaks of a power struggle in the 10th-century Chola empire. There's plenty of love for how life was then... the architecture and the clothes, the food and the drinks, the language and the gods. The film evinces love for a simplistic life centred on human relationships and captures

the finer details – imagined and documented – of a people from a celebrated time in Tamil history. Contrast that with The Kerala Story, which in trying to tell the story of how Malayali women are duped, struggles to get local nuances right, including how the language is spoken.

Mani Ratnam's Ponniyin Selvan 2 steers clear of polarisation by telling a gripping story through a dissection of its many characters based on real people. The singular narrative intends to trace the origins of a glorious empire, but in a way that doesn't encourage us to watch our shoulders or hate another. The story is of a power struggle, and naturally, there are multiple contenders, each deserving – and perhaps underserving too – in their respective ways. In fact, so careful is the discourse around the identity of the Cholas featured in this film that there was even widespread resistance from the Tamil fraternity to the Chola clan being appropriated for today's definitions of Hinduism.

In such polarising times, you can be forgiven for being confused about a fundamental question: Who must we feel sorry for? The Hindus who are apparently naïve, trusting victims, as suggested by films like The Kashmir Files and The Kerala Story? Or the Muslims who seem like targets of a well-orchestrated cinema campaign that aims to destabilise and sow seeds of mistrust? Who should we feel sorry for? Perhaps, the most uncontroversial answer is that we ought to feel sorry for ourselves for being unwitting spectators in such times.

**QUOTE CORNER**

I, William, Prince of Wales, pledge my loyalty to you, and faith and truth I will bear unto you, as your liege man of life and limb. So help me God

William, Prince of Wales, heir apparent to the British throne

We must not allow anybody – individual or State – to hide behind non-State actors. Taking our eyes off the menace would be detrimental to our security interests. We firmly believe there can be no justification for terrorism and it must be stopped in all its forms and manifestations including cross-border terrorism

S Jaishankar, Minister for External Affairs, India

It's therefore with great hope that I declare COVID-19 over as a global health emergency

Dr Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus, Director-General WHO

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Manipur situation

This refers to the report, 'Central security forces flood crisis hit Manipur'. The altercation between the Meitei community and tribals is a unpalatable case of ham-handed government approach. Prudent and pragmatic dialogue between the warring parties is the need of the hour.

Aanya Singhal, Noida

Kerala Story

Apropos of editorial, 'The Kerala Story: Facts vs. Fiction, Art vs. Reality', which concludes with 'a work of art that becomes communal fodder is nothing to be proud of'. May I say should we discard the ideation of 'art for art's sake'? Or, should we ignore Pygmalion's statue or Picasso's Naked Woman because those art works might affect impressionable minds? In so far as The Kerala Story is concerned, let us face facts. The insidious can-

cerous growth needs to be accepted and arrested.

SR Ganguli, Kolkata

Opposition unity

Chief Minister M K Stalin is right that the NCP leader, Sharad Pawar, is to play a key role in their bid for uniting the opposition parties. It is Sharad Pawar and Stalin who are strongly advocating to include the Congress with other opposition parties to take on the BJP juggernaut in 2024. Of course, it would boil down to the poll results in Karnataka, where the Congress is presently battling on a backfoot, mainly due to their untimely and uncalled-for comments about Bajrang Dal.

N. Mahadevan, Chennai

Indian diamond

Olympic champion and sports icon Neeraj Chopra began his winning streak by winning Doha Diamond League with a fantastic javelin throw of 88.67m. The first-ever Indian to bag prestigious

Diamond League Trophy. Though he missed 90m mark by a whisker, the splendid performance is a sure shot indicator to his brilliant future surpassing '90m question' & in creating a world record history.

P V Prakash, Mumbai

Inspiring act

Apropos of 'Infant abandoned at Katpadi railway station reunited with parents' (May 6). The RPF, Karpadi, has to be congratulated for exemplary action in restoring the abandoned baby girl to her parents. This episode should inspire other Railway police as well as civilian police in Tamil Nadu to be people-friendly.

N Rama Rao, Chennai

Bilawal visit

Apropos 'Jaishankar tears into Pak on Kashmir terror' (May 6). The dastardly terrorist attack in Rajouri in J&K resulting in the martyrdom of five of our soldiers has coincided with the visit of Pak

FM Bilawal Bhutto Zardari to Goa. This reaffirms India's stance that Pakistan is the perpetrator of terrorism.

N A Joseph, Ettumanoor

Rajouri attack

Apropos of 'five soldiers killed in Rajouri terror attack' (May 6). This comes after another militant attack on an army vehicle a fortnight ago. Such blatant violation of international borders and acts of terrorism cannot be possible without the connivance of and assistance from local facilitators. They must be weeded out.

Dr George Jacob, Kochi

Chain snatching

Gold prices are shooting up. An 8 gram gold chain now costs more than half a lakh rupees. The present glittering price tag of the metal may attract street chain snatchers. Be vigilant in public places.

P Shylaja, Nileshtar



Nitin Gadkari @nitin_gadkari
My congratulations to Olympic man @Neeraj_chopra for winning Doha Diamond League 2023, with the best throw of 88.67m



Priyanka Gandhi @priyankagandhi
The news of the martyrdom of 5 brave soldiers of the army while fighting the terrorists in Rajouri of Jammu and Kashmir is very sad



Sitaram Yechury @sitaramyechury
Manipur government failed to anticipate the developing situation and was late in trying to intervene to maintain law and order

Covid: Experts caution against lowering guard

Though WHO says pandemic is no more an emergency, India must continue wastewater surveillance, say experts

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

EVEN though the World Health Organisation (WHO) has declared that Covid-19 is no longer a global emergency, India needs to continue wastewater surveillance along with monitoring hospitalised cases of acute severe respiratory infections as the virus is still around, posing a threat, experts said.

The age-old process of wastewater surveillance is used to detect and monitor the spread of viruses and pathogens including cholera, poliovirus, norovirus and influenza.

The emergence of COVID-19 has reiterated its role as a cost-effective tool for disease monitoring and the early detection of community infection.

"The virus is still very much with us. So, the risk of infection remains. However, the risk of serious illness is very low with the Omicron variant, which is presently dominant," said Dr K S Reddy, Distinguished Professor Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) and former member of India's Covid-19 task force.

However, he said, India



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Dr Rajeev Jayadevan, co-chairman, IMA Covid-19 task force

should continue surveillance by testing and genomic profiling all hospitalised cases of acute severe respiratory infections; home-based syndromic symptom-based surveillance of all persons with respiratory infection by primary healthcare teams; wastewater surveillance in urban areas and incoming international flights.

"One Health" surveillance linking microbial detections across wildlife, veterinary and human populations also needs to continue, apart from strengthening healthcare delivery and emergency medical transport systems, he said.

He said the WHO announcement means that now the world can resume regular travel and

lift most of the restrictions imposed on people as the virus no longer poses a high threat at the population level.

The WHO on Friday ended its highest level of alert for Covid-19, over three years after its original declaration, saying that countries should now manage the virus along with other infectious diseases.

However, the world health body also said the decision did not mean the danger was over and cautioned that the emergency status could be reinstated if the situation changed.

Experts said the ending of the alert status does not mean

that Covid-19 will disappear as the virus can mutate, causing severity. The focus should now be on the long-term management of the infection.

Describing the WHO move as a "technical" announcement, Dr Rajeev Jayadevan, co-chairman of the National Indian Medical Association (IMA) Covid-19 task force, said that WHO has clearly stated that the pandemic is still very much active. "It is now up to individual countries to take the steps required," he told this paper.

Unfortunately, he said, the danger of such an announcement is that many people will now believe that Covid is over. "This can worsen the spread, especially as the virus is now surging in the eastern hemisphere," he added.

Gautam Menon, Professor of Physics and Biology at Ashoka University, agreed that there is always the risk that a new, more virulent and transmissible variant might emerge. But, he added that in the background of large-scale hybrid immunity, this seems less likely.

Stressing on improved routine surveillance, not just for Covid-19 but also other infectious diseases, he said, wastewater surveillance should be done to monitor the emergence of new variants. "Improved surveillance methods, more comprehensive routine sequencing of potential new pathogens and more investment in public health should be emphasised," he said.

The experts agreed that old people, those with severe comorbidity or immuno-suppressed, should continue wearing masks in ill-ventilated crowded settings as they are at high-risk. "We should still acknowledge that the elderly and immunocompromised remain at risk and, on general grounds, allow those who are unwell to be able to isolate themselves," Menon told this paper.

What is most important is to realise that this virus has spread not only in man, but also in several mammals, including rats, and is constantly generating mutations, some of which could potentially lead to greater or lower pathogenicity, Jayadevan said.

Jalandhar bypoll will test BJP's Sikh outreach

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

IN a bid to "stand on its own two feet" in Punjab, the BJP has been inducting a large number of Sikh leaders from other parties and has completely ruled out the possibility of a revival of its alliance with the Shiromani Akali Dal (SAD).

Instead, the BJP has been underlining its lingering connection with former CM Parkash Singh Badal, especially his warm ties with Prime Minister Narendra Modi. In doing so, it has received the support of former SGPC president Bibi Jagir Kaur and the Bains brothers for the Jalandhar Lok Sabha by-election.

In the changing political scenario post senior Badal's death, the bypoll will test the BJP's Sikh outreach strategy. Less than a week after the party drew the support of the influential Bains brothers, Bibi Jagir Kaur extended her support to the BJP on Friday.

SAD had expelled Kaur last year for extending support to the saffron party. At a rally yesterday, she addressed a gathering in Jalandhar in favour of BJP candidate Inder Iqbal Atwal who was previously with Akali Dal. Former SAD leader Sarabjit Singh Makkar, who is now in BJP, was present besides former Gujarat CM Vijay Rupani.

Besides, Lok Insaaf Party (LIP) has offered support to the BJP. Simarjeet Singh Bains, the chief of the LIP and a two-time former MLA from Atam Nagar constituency in Ludhiana, has announced his party will support BJP's Atwal.

Already Union Ministers Hardeep Singh Puri, Anurag Thakur and Gajendra Shekhawat besides other leaders have said there was no possibility of a SAD-BJP alliance.

The BJP has been inducting prominent leaders since its ties with SAD snapped. Some of these are: former Punjab CM Captain Amarinder Singh, former Punjab Congress chief Sunil Jakhar, former cabinet ministers Rana Gurmeet Sodhi, Balbir Singh Sidhu, Gurpreet Kangar, Manpreet Badal, former MLA Fateh Jung Bajwa, Kewal Singh

Dhillon all from Congress, and former SGPC chief Gurcharan Singh Tohra's grandson Kanwar Singh.

"The BJP is appealing Sikhs and has given prominence to these new inductees. There is some heartburn among traditional party leaders," said a senior leader.

The saffron party has hinted that it subscribes to Sr Badal's brand of politics. The SAD broke ties with BJP over the farm laws which were later revoked.



Sukhbir Singh Badal

Hardeep Singh Puri

2024 ELECTIONS

3 lakh Muslim 'Modi Mitras' in BJP campaign

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

IN a first such move, the ruling BJP is all set to launch a nationwide campaign for the empowerment of Muslims tentatively after May 10 this year across the country. Under this meticulously crafted nationwide non-political campaign, over 3 lakh Muslim 'Modi Mitras' (Friends of Modi) will carry on this campaign with an objective to empower and educate Muslims about the Muslim welfare schemes, started by Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

To begin with, the Muslim 'Modi Mitras' (those who are voluntarily joining this campaign without being members of BJP for empowering community) will be visiting across 65 Muslim dominated parliamentary constituencies. Speaking to this newspaper, Jamal Siddiqui-national president of BJP Minority Morcha on Friday said, "The nationwide campaign for empowerment of Muslims is set to be launched from May 10 most likely. Under this campaign, 3.25 lakh 'Modi Mitras' will be involved to spread words about the welfare schemes of the Modi government in Muslim - dominated all assembly segments of 65 constituencies."

He said this campaign will cover all assembly segments in 65 identified Muslim-dominated parliamentary constituencies till the date of upcoming 2024 elections is announced.

He said that 20 non-political Muslims will be involved in each assembly segment and each of them will be involving 30 Muslims as 'Modi Mitras'.

Handwashing with soap prevents acute lung infections: Lancet study

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

HANDWASHING with soap can prevent acute respiratory infections (ARIs), according to the latest finding of a Lancet study which also claimed that mortality due to lung diseases was much higher in low and middle-income countries.

"Handwashing with soap can prevent many ARIs by mechanically removing pathogens from hands and rupturing many bacteria and viruses. There is no biological reason to assume handwashing with soap interrupts transmission of upper and lower respiratory infections differently," said the comprehensive study.

It estimates that around 270,000 to 370,000 people die annually because of inadequate hand hygiene. Most of these deaths occur in low-income countries due to a lack of access to water and soap. The study said that interventions promoting handwashing with soap reduced ARI morbidity by about 17 per cent.

According to the study, such interventions are essential to preventing ARIs in low-middle-income countries, accounting for 83 per cent of respiratory infection deaths. This is the first such comprehensive analysis of the effect of handwashing with soap since 2008.

The ARI includes upper and lower respiratory infections. Cough is a common symptom for both, while difficulty breathing results from lower respiratory infections.

The study said the annual



ARI mortality burden was endemic, with four per cent of global disability-adjusted life-years (DALYs) and 2.5 million deaths in 2019.

"Previous systematic reviews have consistently found that interventions promoting handwashing with soap reduce acute respiratory infection (ARI). However, the most recent meta-analysis is for viral ARI only, and included only five studies in low-income and middle-income countries (LMICs), where ARI burden is largest," said the study giving the context of the latest exercise.

Stressing on launching awareness campaigns on handwashing, the study said, "In comparison with the attention given to handwashing during epidemics of respiratory disease, handwashing campaigns in normal times are rare. The scarcity of such movements might be a missed opportunity, and promoting handwashing with soap more broadly could reduce the large endemic burden of respiratory disease."

WILY MARATHA WHO MASTERS THE ART OF POSSIBLE

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI

SERIOUS political theorists as well as believers in realpolitik have time and again affirmed that this Maratha strongman is less of a visionary and more of a leader. In about a week, Sharad Pawar has proved himself to be more than an old codger in the game of politics trying to make the impossible possible. What else can explain his conduct that made us first believe that he is out of the reckoning in Maharashtra politics, reducing his followers to tears and then, quickly backtracking to re-assess his political existence? All this happened while an NCP committee swiftly assessed the mood among the MLAs/MPs to reject Pawar's resignation as the party chief. Ergo, Pawar is very much in.

That reality is a test for his nephew Ajit, daughter Supriya Sule, Uddhav Thackeray and all who matter in the BJP. There are various versions about why Pawar did something for which he has never been known. One of the believable points is that he wanted to avoid a rebellion in the NCP that he founded in 1999 after opposing Sonia Gandhi as the prime ministerial candidate and leaving the Congress. That was then.

At 83, Pawar can safely recall all that and more as his nephew Ajit chooses a "different path" (Ajit did not attend the event where Pawar announced his U-turn). For someone who started his political career at the age 27 under the tutelage of Maharashtra's first chief minister Yashwantrao Chavan, all decisions are worth a revisit. Like, initially, Sharad Pawar was attracted towards Jawaharlal Nehru and his Nehruvian ideas despite nurturing himself in the backdrop of communist and socialist background. Pawar's mother was a local body member of the Marxist-influenced Peasant and Workers Party. But he chose the Congress.

Another recallable fact about Pawar is he became the youngest chief minister of Maharashtra at the age of 38. He formed the first government by revolting against the Congress chief minister Vasant Dada Patil, but within two years, his alliance government was abolished by India Gandhi.

Rajiv Gandhi brought him back into the Congress, yet Pawar has always shared a love-and-hate relationship with the Gandhi family. Surprisingly, he never chose to drift from the core ideological path of secularism despite having lucrative offers from BJP's top leaders. Pawar remained loyal and com-



mitted to the secular, socialist, and progressive ideology of Shahu Phule and Dr BR Ambedkar in his 56-year political career.

Sharad Pawar has been four-time CM of Maharashtra, and defence and agriculture minister at the Centre, but the top post - Prime Minister - always eluded him, though he was within striking distance. At this age with multiple health problems, Pawar has reasons to lose hope and appears to be struggling to keep his NCP together against the "expansionism" being displayed by the BJP.

He has got friends across parties. In 2019, to checkmate the BJP, Pawar offered the chief minister post to Uddhav Thackeray of Shiv Sena, a BJP ally for

three decades. That changed the game in the state as Hindutva and secular Congress together for power. That's why he is called the architect of the Maha Vikas Agadhi, though it survived for only two-and-a-half years. In the updated edition of his book, On My Terms, he blamed Uddhav for not anticipating the revolt in his party.

In Maharashtra that sends 48 MPs to the Lok Sabha, the BJP is on a slippery slope and internal surveys are projecting a gloomy picture for it. Sources say as plan B, the BJP has tried to poach Ajit Pawar by offering him the CM's post. Besides, there is "pressure" from central agencies - Ajit and his spouse Sunetra have been mentioned in the Enforcement Directorate chargesheet in a case involving a sugar factory. Many more NCP MLAs and leaders are making rounds of central agencies offices as they want a "safe passage."

Such hard facts could have forced Pawar to offer his resignation. Ajit was happy with this family-led plan, but protests from the local party workers and pressure from other Opposition leaders forced the NCP committee to pass a resolution rejecting Pawar resignation.

By announcing his resignation, Pawar could have killed many birds with a stone. He not only prevented a split in the party, but showed the BJP, he remains the NCP's big boss.

'Live streaming of court proceedings has flip side'

SHRUTI KAKKAR @ New Delhi

Laying emphasis on the fact that "live streaming of court proceedings has a flip side as every word spoken by a judge is in public realm," Chief Justice of India (CJI) D Y Chandrachud on Saturday batted for the need to control the funny stuff related to courts going on YouTube.

Terming the proceedings before courts as "extremely serious", the judge while addressing the inauguration ceremony of Neutral Citation for the Indian Judiciary and National Conference on Digitisation in Bhubaneswar said judges also need to be trained.

"Today most high courts are doing live streaming on YouTube... you have these little clips about a judge in Patna HC asking an IAS officer as to why he was not appropriately dressed in a suit as opposed to being dressed only in a shirt



Live streaming that we are doing has a flip side. We as judges need to train ourselves because in the age of social media, every word which we say in court is up on the public realm which we realise when we are hearing the constitution bench arguments

D Y Chandrachud, Chief Justice of India

and a trouser. Or somebody in the Gujarat High Court saying something about why a lawyer is not ready with her cases. So, a lot of funny stuff is going on the YouTube which we need to control," the CJI said.

On awareness among judges with regard to live streaming, the CJI said, "What happens in court is extremely serious stuff. Live streaming that we are doing has a flip side. We as judges need to train ourselves because in the age of social media, eve-

ry word which we say in court is up on the public realm which we realise when we are hearing the constitution bench arguments. Very often citizens don't realise that what you say in the course of hearing of a case is to open up a dialogue. It doesn't reflect what you may ultimately decide in a given case but people don't understand. Live streaming or interface with social media places new demands on us as judges but we need to create robust cloud infrastruc-

ture for live streaming," the CJI said.

The Chief Justice of India in his address also appealed chief justices of the high courts to not disband infrastructure for virtual hearings.

The CJI said, "When the Parliamentary Standing Committee of the Department of Justice visited various HCs, they found that so much of the technology infrastructure which has been set up is obsolete in the sense that it's not being used by the HCs at all..."

Referring to his vision of "pitchforking technology", the CJI said it was not for placing it at some silo away from the citizens but to ensure using it for reaching out to common citizens. Lauding setting up of virtual courts across districts in Orissa to enable lawyers to present their case before Orissa High Court, the CJI said that this obliterated the need for setting up of benches of HC.

Plan for special lectures on tourism, cultural heritage for Yuva clubs

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

TO educate and orient young citizens towards tourism and cultural heritage, the ministry of tourism is planning a slew of activities for members of 'Yuva Tourism Clubs' which were set up in educational institutions including schools, colleges and hotel management institutes. The first in the series will be lectures/workshops. The ministry is preparing a list of industry experts and stakeholders who address the students through YouTube.

"We will invite leaders who have made a mark in the field of tourism and industry experts. We want to catch them young. The first event will be dedicated to sustainability; sustainable and responsible tourism. Prime Minister Narendra Modi in his monthly radio pro-

Awareness on heritage

The concept of 'Yuva Tourism Clubs' was introduced in educational institutions with the strategic objective of creating interest, awareness and a sense of responsibility towards natural and cultural heritage amongst students

gramme — Mann Ki Baat — has talked about sustainability on occasions," said officials.

Former chief executive officer (CEO) of NITI Aayog and G20 Sherpa Amitabh Kant may be invited to speak at the first event on sustainability, officials added.

The concept of 'Yuva Tourism Clubs' was introduced in

educational institutions with the strategic objective of creating interest, awareness and a sense of responsibility towards natural and cultural heritage and tourism amongst students. At present, there are 30,000 clubs in schools, colleges and hotel management institutes.

"On an average each club has 100 members and even some of them are having more than 1,000 participants. With one YouTube live event, we can connect with more than three lakh students. The number is set to increase as the ministry has set a target of establishing another 20,000 'YUVA Tourism Club' within three months. Besides nurturing and developing young ambassadors of Indian tourism, the idea is to teach them about sustainable and responsible tourism," the officials said.

Day after release, 'The Kerala Story' is tax-free in MP

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bhopal

A day after its nationwide release in theatres, the Adah Sharma-starrer 'The Kerala Story,' was declared tax-free in BJP-ruled Madhya Pradesh on Saturday.

The decision by the Shivraj Singh Chouhan government to give tax breaks to the movie, which focuses on the alleged forced religious conversion of women in Kerala before inducting them into the terror outfit ISIS, happened six months before the next assembly polls in the state.

Announcing the decision, chief minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan said: "The movie exposes the plot of Love Jihad, religious conversion, and terrorism. It brings to the fore the disgusting face of these menaces. This film also reveals how the lives of those daughters are destroyed, who in momentary emotions, get trapped in Love Jihad. It also tells us about the terrorist designs."

"We've already enacted a law to stop forced religious conver-

sion in Madhya Pradesh. This film needs to be watched by everyone, including parents and children, particularly the daughters. This is why the Madhya Pradesh government is declaring this film tax-free," Chouhan said in a video message.

A few days back, some ruling BJP leaders, including state party secretary Rahul Kothari, had written to the chief minister, requesting to declare 'The Kerala Story' tax-free in the state.

With Saturday's development, Madhya Pradesh is perhaps the first state in the country to give a tax break to the controversial movie.

Several petitions seeking a stay on its release have already been rejected by high courts of Kerala and Madras. The Supreme Court has also refused to entertain a plea against the film.

With Saturday's development, 'The Kerala Story' has become the fifth film in three years to have been declared tax-free in Madhya Pradesh.

Hunt down militants: Rajnath to Army

Minister pays homage to soldiers killed in Friday's terror strike in Rajouri's forest area

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

DEFENCE Minister Rajnath Singh on Saturday visited the Army base camp in Rajouri to review operational preparedness of troops and directed security officials to hunt down militants involved in the attack which killed five soldiers even as a militant was killed and another injured in a fresh gunfight with troops in the dense forest area.

The Minister interacted with soldiers and officers involved in a massive combing and search operation in Kandi forest area of Rajouri to track down militants involved in the twin attacks on the Army in Poonch and Rajouri.

On Friday, five soldiers were killed in an IED explosion during an encounter in Kandi forest area of Rajouri while on May 20, five Army men were killed when militants ambushed their vehicle in Bhatha Durian forest area of Poonch.

While commending the valour and zeal of men and officers, Rajnath Singh said, "The nation feels secure because of unmatched courage, commitment and constant vigil of the soldiers of the Indian Army in difficult areas. The government and people of the country are always with the armed forces."



Defence minister Rajnath Singh meets soldiers during his visit to the Army Base Camp at Rajouri in Jammu & Kashmir on Saturday | PFI

Arms, ammunition recovered after gunfight

A fresh gunfight erupted between militants and troops in the forest area on Saturday during which a militant was killed and another injured. The security men recovered 1 AK 56 rifle, 4 magazines, 56 rounds, one 9mm pistol, 3 grenades and 1 ammunition pouch from encounter site

Later, the Defence Minister chaired a security review meeting which was also attended by the Army chief, chief of the northern command, J&K Lt Governor and other top officials.

"The minister reviewed the ongoing anti-militancy operations in the forest areas of Poonch and Rajouri. He asked Army officials to hunt down

militants involved in the attacks and go after the over-ground workers of the militants to deny them space to hide and carry out attacks," sources privy to the meeting said. The minister also reviewed the security situation along the borders and the LoC in J&K with Pakistan and the operational preparedness of troops.

He exhorted Army men and officials to be ready to foil every nefarious design of the enemy and strengthen the counter infiltration grid to prevent infiltration of militants.

Meanwhile, a fresh gunfight erupted between militants and troops in the forest area on Saturday during which a militant was killed and another injured. The security men recovered 1 AK 56 rifle, 4 magazines, 56 rounds, one 9mm pistol with magazine, 3 grenades and 1 ammunition pouch from the encounter site.

The anti-militancy operation in the forest area is going on. The Army has pressed drones and helicopters into service to track down the militants. Specially trained paratroopers are also assisting troops in the operation.

The Army has been conducting a relentless cordon and search operation in the forest areas of Rajouri and Poonch to track down militants involved in the April 20 ambush on an Army truck in Tota Gali area of Bhatha Durian in Poonch district in which five soldiers were killed.

In another development, a local Lashkar-e-Toiba militant was killed in an encounter with troops in the Karahama Kunzer area of North Kashmir's Baramulla district on Saturday.

Maoists set earth-moving machines on fire in Gaya

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

ARMED squad members of proscribed CPI-Maoist attacked the base camp of a private road construction company located in bordering areas of Naxal-infested Gaya and Aurangabad districts in Bihar on Friday and torched several machines.

Police said on Saturday that a group of armed guerillas attacked the camp of the private firm at Barha village near Chakarbandha forest around midnight and held the employees captive before setting an earth moving machine and other equipment, on fire. The road construction company has been awarded contract of construction of road between Barha and Tarchua villages under Dumar-ia block in Gaya district.

They also left handwritten pamphlets warning certain people of stern action against them for being hands in glove with the state police. The Maoists claimed that those SPOs who were working against the banned outfit will be awarded punishment at a kangaroo court. Those on the target include Ashok Yadav, Arjun Yadav, Dharmendra Bhuyian, Sanjay Paswan, Vinay Yadav, Suresh Master and Satyendra Yadav, among others.

Ex-bureaucrats, doctors, engineers set to join Prashant Kishor's padyatra

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

POLITICAL strategist Prashant Kishor's Jan Suraj Abhiyan (Campaign for peoples' good governance) is gaining momentum in Bihar with over a dozen retired IPS officers, doctors and engineers set to join his campaign on Sunday.

Earlier this week, six Ex-IAS officers joined his movement aimed at establishing 'Janata ka sundar raaj (Peoples' good governance)' in the state.

A senior functionary of Jan Suraj Abhiyan told this reporter on Saturday that many retired IPS officers, who had served in different capacities during three-decades rule of RJD and JD(U) in the state, have expressed their ambition to join PK's 'Padyatra' to show their solidarity with PK and lend their full support to his movement.

The former top cops, likely to join the Jan Suraj movement at its office in Patna on May 7, are known for their honesty and integrity during their service. The Jan Suraj functionary, who didn't wish to be identified for obvious reasons, said that a retired IPS officer Rakesh Kumar Mishra, who is already associated with PK's movement, will formally induct the former IPS officers.



Mishra, a Bihar-cadre IPS officer who had retired from the post of director general of police, has been working with PK's movement since its initial days and is said to have played an important role in the success of his 'Padyatra' which was launched from Mahatma Gandhi's Ashram at Bhitiharwa in Bihar's West Champaran district in October, 2022.

PK's Jan Suraj tasted its first success when the organisation-backed Independent candidate Afaq Ahmad won Bihar legislative council election from the Saran teachers' constituency. Afaq's win in the by-poll is being seen as Jan Suraj's first electoral success. Independent MLC Sachchidanand Singh, who had earlier announced to work with PK's Jan Suraj, said that two more Independent MLCs have lent their support to campaign.

CHAR DHAM

Bad weather conditions fail to dampen spirit of pilgrims

NARENDRA SETHI @Dehradun

DESPITE persistent adverse weather and frequent disruptions in the hill areas of Uttarakhand, the enthusiasm among Char Dham pilgrims remains undiminished.

The government has banned the movement of vehicles during nighttime for Gangotri and Yamunotri. Citing the safety of the pilgrims, the movement of vehicles has been banned from 10 pm to 4 am.

"Only goods and emergency vehicles will be allowed on the route. The movement of devotees has been restricted from Jhala, the main stop of Gangotri Dham, from Bhatwadi, at 8.30 pm and from Nagun from 10 pm," said Arpan Yaduvanshi, Uttarkashi Superintendent of Police.

Similar restrictions have also been placed on the movement of vehicles after 9 pm at Jankichatti, the main stop of Yamunotri Dham.

Keeping in mind the hilly and sensitive areas along the yatra route, Uttarkashi Police has banned the night operation of vehicles coming towards Yamunotri, the first stop of the Chardham Yatra and the second halt at Gangotri.

MP ex-CM Joshi's son joins Congress, says family lost respect in BJP

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bhopal

FORMER CM Kailash Chandra Joshi's son joined the opposition Congress in Bhopal on Saturday, a day after ending his years of association with the BJP.

Joshi was a minister of school and technical education minister in the previous Shivraj Singh Chouhan government between 2013 and 2018. He has been a three-time BJP MLA. He joined the Congress in the state party headquarters in Bhopal in the presence of senior leaders, including state party chief Kamal Nath and leader of the Opposition in the assembly, Dr Govind Singh. The newcomer was scathing in his criticism of CM Chouhan. "I've heard the CM saying today that he considers me his younger brother. But let me make it clear to him that I'm not his brother, as brothers share an ideology," he said.

"I was the president of the college in which he (the CM) studied and knew all his machinations. I've made it clear that I've not joined the Congress for contesting any polls or getting any post, but instead to get the honour due to me, my family and our committed workers, who have lost respect in the BJP," said Joshi.

"If the Congress wants to field me in the next assembly polls, I would request the state party chief to field me from Budhni against the MP CM. I know the pitch on which the CM has been playing for long. I can bowl him out," he said. "I can get the Congress the prized wicket it has been waiting for. If he (Nath) gives me the go-ahead from the Budhni seat, I'll start working there in the next three-four days," said Joshi.

He said he was ready to embark on a padyatra to expose the "rampant corruption" in the present BJP regime.

He said he was hurt over the delay in building a memorial for his ex-CM father who was the first CM of Jan Sangh in MP and died in 2019. "I've been taking up the issue with all state-level leaders of the BJP for two-and-a-half years, but nothing happened," said Joshi. He also made a sensational claim pertaining to the death of his wife due to Covid-19 infection in 2021. "My wife was in a serious condition and the doctors Dewas district asked us to rush her to a big hospital in Indore immediately. But the Dewas administration had been instructed not to listen to me," alleged Joshi.



Over 40k women have gone missing in Gujarat in 5 years, says NCRB data

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @ Ahmedabad

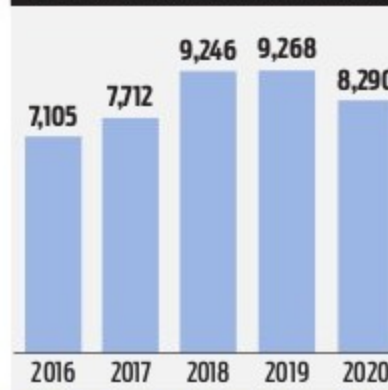
OVER 40,000 women went missing in Gujarat over the course of five years, as per official statistics. According to National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) data, 7,105 women went missing in 2016, 7,712 in 2017, 9,246 in 2018, and 9,268 in 2019. In 2020, 8,290 women were reported to have gone missing. The total number adds up to 41,621.

Incidentally, as per a statement made by the state government in the Assembly in 2021, 4,722 women went missing in just one year (2019-20) in Ahmedabad and Vadodara.

Sudhir Sinha, a former IPS officer and member of Gujarat State Human Rights Commission, said, "In some missing person cases, I have observed that girls and women are occasionally sent to states other than Gujarat and forced into prostitution."

"The police system's problem is that it does not treat

MYSTERY OF MISSING WOMEN



41,621: TOTAL NO. OF MISSING WOMEN

SOURCE: NCRB

missing person cases seriously. Such cases are more serious than murder. That's because when a child goes missing, the parents wait for years for their child, and the missing case should be investigated as rigorously as a murder case," he added.

"Missing person cases are frequently ignored by the police since they are investigated

in the British-era manner," Sinha said.

Former additional director general of police Dr. Rajan Priyadarshi said human trafficking was to blame for girls going missing. "During my tenure, I observed that a majority of missing women are picked up by illegal human trafficking groups who transport them to another state and sell them."

"When I was Superintendent of Police (SP) in Kheda district, a person from Uttar Pradesh who was working as a labourer in the district picked up a poor girl and sold her in his native state, where she was put to work worked as a farm labourer. We managed to get her rescued, but this does not happen in many cases," he said.

Hiren Banker, a spokesperson of the Gujarat Congress, said, "BJP leaders talk about women in Kerala but more than 40,000 women are missing in Gujarat, the home state of the country's PM as well as the Home Minister.

Pilot renews feud with Gehlot after weeks of calm

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

AFTER a few weeks of relative calm and silence, former deputy CM of Rajasthan Sachin Pilot has once again targeted CM Ashok Gehlot over the paper leak and corruption issues. Pilot, who addressed a massive public rally in Barmer on Saturday at the inauguration programme of a hostel built in the name of Virendra Chaudhary, the late son of a cabinet minister and Pilot loyalist Hemaram Chaudhary, stated that he will "continue to fight against corruption, regardless of whether some people like it or not."

He emphasised that corruption is all-pervasive in our society and system and must be combated effectively. Pilot also reiterated his concern about the issue of paper leaks in exams for government recruitment and asserted that "it poses a major problem in Rajasthan as it hampers the dreams of the youth." He emphasised the need to address and prevent paper leaks, which have often happened in the state in recent years. Pilot was addressing the public rally



Sachin Pilot addresses a rally in Rajasthan's Barmer on Saturday

in Barmer, a part of the Marwar region regarded as the bastion of CM Ashok Gehlot.

Last month, Pilot staged a one-day dharna, accusing the Gehlot government of failing to investigate corruption cases that occurred during the previous BJP government led by Vasundhara Raje. Similarly, he has repeatedly criticised the Gehlot government concerning the paper leak case. Responding to questions about his caste and birthplace, Pilot stated that he has no control over his caste group or place of birth, but when he opened his eyes, he recognized the importance of the relationships he has with people.

During this programme, more than 25 MLAs of Rajasthan were present in Barmer alongside Sachin Pilot. This visit by Pilot is also seen as another display of his strength and popularity in the election year. It is believed that Pilot arrived at the program with a convoy of over 1,000 vehicles.

However, with less than six months remaining until the assembly elections, the possibility of a Chief Ministerial battle between Pilot and Gehlot seems unlikely. Nevertheless, sources suggest that the two leaders are currently engaged in a power struggle over ticket distribution for the upcoming assembly elec-

tions later this year. The leader who succeeds in securing tickets for more of their close associates increases his chances of becoming the CM if the Congress government is re-elected.

During the programme, Minister Rajendra Gudha stated that Sachin Pilot is "a leader who represents all sections of society and is popular throughout Rajasthan."

He added that Rajasthan is eagerly waiting for Pilot's leadership. Similarly, another Minister in the Gehlot government, Murarilal Meena commented that a "massive crowd has gathered here and even Delhi would witness the power of Sachin Pilot."

Speaking at the event, senior cabinet minister Hemaram Chaudhary, expressed his solidarity with Pilot, stating he stands by those he associates with, even at a personal cost.

Pilot had maintained silence for the past few weeks and during the entire duration of the campaign for the Karnataka elections, even CM Gehlot refrained from commenting on the dispute with Pilot.



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'Jan' not happy with 'sunwai'

Despite the UP government's best efforts to tackle the people's grievances through high-tech mode, there is much to be desired on the execution part. As per the people's feedback collected by the government, its 'Jansunwai' (Integrated Grievance Redressal System) portal has just about 25 per cent satisfied complainants. The remaining three-fourths of complainants obviously are not happy. The portal received 6.3 lakh complaints in April of which 3.8 lakh were disposed of. The feedback reveals that almost 50 per cent of the complainants, whose grievances were disposed, of were not satisfied.

Kashi soon to be the cricket centre

With big-ticket international cricket coming to PM in a big way, the state will have a new cricket stadium within three years. While Ekana Stadium of Lucknow, which has been developed on a public-private-partnership (PPP), has become a permanent fixture for international ties, the UP Cricket Association will soon have its own stadium in Varanasi. Coming up at a cost of Rs 400 crore, this stadium in the Ganzaia area of the city will spread over 25 acres and have a capacity of 30,000. BCCI secretary Jay Shah has already visited the city to finalise plans. Will Lucknow then lose IPL matches to Varanasi? A chunk of them, if not all, say the sources



No shadow of Varun on Maneka Gandhi

Sultanpur's BJP MP Maneka Gandhi seems unfazed by her MP son Varun Gandhi's veiled 'diatribes' against her own party for quite some time. She not only keeps renewing her engagement with her constituency quite frequently but also is actively campaigning in Sultanpur for BJP candidates in the ongoing urban local body elections. She is in fact not reacting to her son's utterances and quite hopeful of getting the party ticket again in the 2024 Lok Sabha elections, say people close to her.

Go First crisis: A boon for rivals?

Airlines may gain from jump in fares, improved market share, pool of 'ready-to-go' pilots

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

LOW-COST carrier Go First's decision to suspend flights and file for bankruptcy may prove to be a big boom for rival airlines even though the development has once proved the country's aviation sector to be the graveyard for airlines.

Not only rival airlines are expected to benefit from a sharp jump in airfares since Go First has cancelled all its flight operations from May 3, but they may also see improvement in market share and attracts seasoned 'ready-to-go' pilots who are in high demand following the record number of aircraft order by Tata Group's Air India and entry of Akasa Air.

The Wadia Family-promoted Go First (formerly known as Go Air) on Tuesday announced that they are filing for voluntary insolvency resolution proceedings before the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT), Delhi. The company said that a severe financial crunch due to non-supply of engines by Pratt & Whitney (P&W) forced the airline to take this extreme step. Go First had first suspended all operations till May 5, but later extended it till May 9.

Legal experts believe that it will months for the insolvency proceedings to reach to a conclusion as there is a clear dispute between the owners and other parties.

Up for grab: Market share at better price

Go First commanded a market share of 8.9% in the calendar year 2022 and sudden disruption in operations is likely to benefit other players, especially IndiGo. In recent months, however, Go First market share

Union Bank net profit up 93% in Q4

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

PUBLIC sector lender Union Bank of India has reported a 93.27% rise in standalone net profit at ₹2,782 crore for the quarter ended March, compared to ₹1,440 crore in the same quarter of the previous year.

The net interest income rose 21.9% to ₹8,250.5 crore during the quarter compared to ₹6,769.4 crore in the same quarter the previous year. The provisions stood at ₹2,935.6 crore in quarter ended March this year against ₹3,618.1 crore in same quarter previous year.

Non-interest income grew 62.48% to ₹5,269 crore in January-March 2023, helped by handsome performance on the recoveries front.

"We are expecting 10-12% growth in advances and 8-10% growth in deposits in the current financial year," said A Manimekhalai, managing director and chief executive of Union Bank of India, addressing the press conference.

Recoveries from accounts written off in the past zoomed to Rs 2,954 crore from Rs 294 crore in the year-ago period, providing a boost to the bottomline.



Bank of Baroda establishes the 'BoB Rashtrabhasha Samman'

Bank of Baroda (Bank), one of India's leading public sector banks, announced that the Bank has instituted the 'Bank of Baroda Rashtrabhasha Samman'. This award has been established by the Bank to encourage and promote literary works in Indian languages. The Bank's Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Sanjiv Chadha, announced the commencement of this award in a special session at the Jaipur Literature Festival. The Bank's Executive Director, Mr. Ajay K. Khurana, was also present on the occasion.

AT ITs WITS' END



UP FOR GRAB
Go First had an average of more than 200 flights daily
Lessors also seeking to transfer Go aircrafts to rivals

GO FIRST PILOTS IN DEMAND

Air India receives more than 700 pilot applications in the last few days

Tata-owned Air India has announced hiring

1,000 PILOTS

Many Go First Pilots are also applying at IndiGo

Go First has about

750 PILOTS in its payroll

has seen a slump.

"Go First accounted for 8% of domestic traffic and 5% of international traffic (among Indian carriers). If this capacity goes out of the system, industry-level load factor and pricing environment can improve substantially," said analysts at IIFL Securities.

Credit Suisse analysts in a recent note said aircraft lessors could be more inclined to allocate some of the grounded Go First aircraft to rival player IndiGo. This, according to them, will benefit IndiGo in terms of market share and stronger yields in a capacity-strained environment. Aircraft lessors have already applied to the DGCA to seek deregistration and repossession of 20 planes leased to Go First. India's leading carrier, IndiGo, increased its domestic market to 56.8% in March, according to DGCA data.

Analyst at Jefferies said if

the exit of GoFirst does happen, this would be at the margin positive for sector consolidation as this would mean one less player in the market.

Prateek Kumar of Jefferies, said, "While the revival path isn't clear for Go First, the market disruption caused by the shutdown of operation is likely to reduce competitive intensity, and could benefit air fares, especially amid the recent strong traffic trends seen in the Indian aviation sector."

The suspension has already led to a sharp rise in airfares across Go First's routes. According to four operators, airfare on key metro routes has shot up to 50% while in select leisure routes such as Delhi-Leh airfares are up by up to 5 times. The high airfare, according to experts, is likely to stay on the back of strong demand.

Seeking an opportunity from the void left by Go First, Spice-

Jet is mobilizing Rs 400 crore credit taken from the government to bring back 25 grounded aircraft to the skies.

Advantage for Air India as it gets seasoned talents

Concern about their future with Go First, a large section of pilots and cabin crew have started applying at other airlines, especially at Air India. The timing wouldn't have been better given the incumbents have an aggressive expansion plan and a strong order book.

Air India on Thursday said it has received an overwhelming response for its recruitment drive for pilots and has got more than 700 applications in the past week. The airline, which currently has more than 1,800 pilots, has placed orders for 470 aircraft with Boeing and Airbus, including for wide-body planes.

As per industry sources, many pilots of cash-strapped Go First have applied to work with the Tata Group Airline. The record number of applications comes as Air India is facing unrest from its existing pilots over the revised salary structure that came out last month. Air India had recently issued an advertisement for more than 1,000 pilots. It is looking for captains, first officers and trainers across A320, B777, B787 and B737 fleet.

"The recruitment of pilots is in preparation for the augmented large fleet of 470 aircraft. We have already received over 700 applications in the last few days as response to the advertisement which is under process. As continuation of this recruitment process we are conducting walk-in interviews in Mumbai, Delhi and Bengaluru," Air India said.

ABANDONING CENSUS 2021 HAS LEFT US WITH AN OUTDATED DATA CRISIS

GURBIR SINGH

A Patna High Court bench has in recent days stayed the work on the caste survey being carried out by the State of Bihar on the grounds that it amounts to conducting a census which the state government has no power to carry out. The court said prima facie the power to conduct a census under the Census Act, 1948 vests only with the Union government.

The interim order comes as a blow to the Nitish Kumar government which launched its state caste survey on 7 January this year. Having incurred a cost of Rs 115 crore so far, the survey was nearing its end.

Mapping caste demography was for the first time included in the census of 1931. It was a significant decision as caste is an important element in India to track socio-economic changes and population distribution.

It is indeed a piquant situation. The Patna High Court wants the Union government to map the caste numbers. But forget state caste ratios, the Centre for one reason or the other has repeatedly postponed the national decadal census due for release in 2021. Meanwhile, the country is grappling with outdated data based on the 2011 census.

Repeated postponements

It is significant that since the every-10-years 'decadal' census exercise was launched in 1881, it has almost never been delayed or postponed until now. The importance of population related data was underlined with the passage of the Census Act, 1948, which set up the Office of the Registrar General of India (ORGI) under the Home Ministry.

The census process is a massive exercise involving 2.3 million enumerators going house to house filling out personal and family information related to literacy levels, education, housing, household amenities, migration, fertility, language, religion, caste and so on. Mining this data through individual interviews forms our information repository so crucial to both understanding the needs of our people and for decision-making by government.

Plans for Census 2021 were

first released in 2019 with a humongous budget of Rs 8,754 crore. For the first time pen-and-paper was to be replaced by digital entries; and data collection was to be carried out in two phases -- first from April to September 2020 and the second in February 2021.

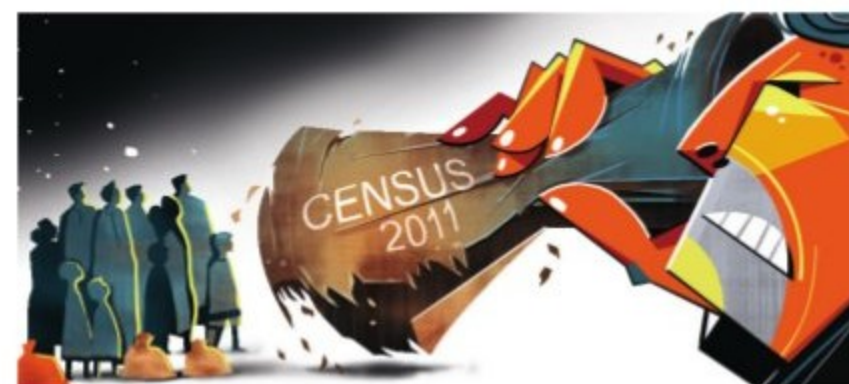
However, with the outbreak of the pandemic in March 2020, this was postponed indefinitely and 31 December 2022 was identified as the new date for "freezing the boundaries of administrative units" -- a euphemism that work could only begin after that date. The start date has been further extended to 1 July this year; but it is now apparent that nothing is going to move till the completion of the 2024 Lok Sabha elections.

Verified data is the enemy of political bombast. That is why those in power are allergic to scientific data. For instance the true numbers of OBCs and the

The survey was never released.

Meanwhile, a paper by World Bank researchers estimated extreme poverty in India is higher than previously thought -- at 10.2% in 2019. This was endorsed by Sutirtha Roy and Roy van der Weide who used data from the Consumer Pyramid Household Survey (CPHS) run by the Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE). In summary, they said: Poverty stands at 10.2% in 2019 using the World Bank's \$1.90 per-day-per-capita purchasing power. Further, Urban poverty rose by 2 percentage points during the 2016 demonetization, and rural poverty reduction stalled by 2019, when the economy slowed.

Around the same time, an IMF working paper took the opposite view. It was authored by Surjit Bhalla, the Indian government representative at the



SOURAV ROY

fertility rates of religious minorities may puncture the popular myths being peddled by the BJP and other far right parties. Most of all, the current narrative of economic development might not be matched by the data offered by Census 2021.

'There is no poverty'

It is the debate on eradication of poverty that is perhaps the worst impacted due to the lack of scientific data. This is because for the past decade, India has not released any official poverty numbers. People therefore continue to ask: Has poverty significantly declined since Narendra Modi came to power in 2014?

Though poverty measurement stopped in 2011, some auxiliary surveys showed the bad news. For instance, leaked data from the 2017/18 National Sample Survey (NSS) showed annually high 3.7% decline in real consumption over 6 years.

IMF, along with co-authors Kara Bhasin and Arvind Virmani. They concentrate on data showing growth of consumption, and add on the impact of government food subsidies to conclude India has essentially eliminated extreme poverty. They also say the pandemic didn't increase poverty. Rather, "food transfers were instrumental in ensuring that it remained at that low [0.8%] level."

Anecdotal evidence all round shows there is extreme poverty of an unacceptable level, and that the pandemic has worsened the situation. However, there is a quixotic dilemma: since there is no poverty data, there is no poverty! Perhaps this stance suits those in power; but then pseudo-science cannot replace scientific data. The government needs to extract itself from its ostrich like position, and move ahead with census 2021.

Q4 RESULTS

BoI PAT more than doubles to ₹1,350 cr

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Public sector lender Bank of India's net profit more than doubled to ₹1,350 crore during the quarter ended March this year (Q4FY22), compared to ₹606 crore in the same quarter last year, reflecting a growth of 123%.

The company's net interest income for the quarter increased by 37.77% from ₹3,987 crore in the year ago quarter to ₹5,493 crore.

The net interest margin improved to 3.15% in the quarter from 2.56% in same quarter previous year.

Non-interest income increased by 95.27% to ₹3,099 crore during the quarter from ₹1,587 crore in the same quarter previous year.

The bank's gross NPA ratio stood at 7.31%, down from 7.66% in the December quarter; net NPA ratio rose to 1.66% from 1.61% sequentially. Provision Coverage Ratio (PCR) was at 89.68%.

The asset quality profile improved with gross non-performing assets (NPA) declining to 7.31% in March 2023 from 9.98% in the same month in 2022.

The company's net NPAs also declined 1.66% in March 2023 from 2.34% a year ago.

The share of low-cost deposits, current account and saving accounts (CASA), stood at 44.73% at the end of March 2023, down from 45.02% a year ago, according to an analyst presentation.

Vedanta repays \$800 million loan to Standard Chartered Bank

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

ANIL AGARWAL-led Vedanta Resources on Saturday said it has repaid \$800 million of loans it had taken from Standard Chartered Bank against the company's shares.

The mining giant, in an exchange filing said all debt repayments coming up in the current cycle have been made and there was no outstanding amount. Subsequently, the encumbrance on all shares was released.

The move will lessen its concerns about its liquidity after surging interest rates intensified pressure on low-rated borrowers with heavy debt loads.

Vedanta Resources holds over 68% stake in Vedanta Ltd



through its subsidiaries.

Vedanta had pledged shares to raise loans on behalf of its subsidiaries Twin Star Holdings, Vedanta Netherlands Investments BV and Vedanta Resources. A total of 253.2 crore

equity shares amounting to 68.1% of the total share capital had been pledged.

In April, the company said it had paid all loans and bonds dues last month, cutting its gross debt to \$6.8 billion. It re-

'All debt repayments made in current cycle'

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paid \$150 million borrowed from Barclays Bank and \$100 million borrowed from Standard Chartered Bank.

S&P Global Ratings stated the company's credit ratings may "come under pressure" if

it is unable to raise \$2 billion and/or sell its international zinc assets. The company had proposed sale of its international zinc business to Hindustan Zinc (Vedanta has 65% ownership) for nearly \$3 billion. However, the government, which holds 29.54% stake in HZL, opposed this deal as it is a related party transaction and will hit its own share sale plan. However, the company maintained it has enough means to meet debt repayment liabilities in the coming quarters. Moody's Investors Service downgraded Vedanta Resources' corporate family rating to Caa1 from B3 last week due to rising refinancing risks in large debt maturities.

Business & Beyond

Petronet LNG reports highest-ever turnover of ₹59,899 cr in FY23

Petronet LNG has reported highest ever turnover of Rs 59,899 cr in the current financial year as against Rs 43,169 Cr in the previous financial year, registering a growth of 39%. The Company has reported PBT and PAT of Rs 4,335 Cr and 3,240 Cr in the current financial year as against Rs 4,474 Cr and Rs 3,352 Cr respectively in the previous financial year. During the current quarter ended 31st March, 2023, Dahej terminal processed 172T BTU of LNG as against 154 TBTU during the previous quarter ended 31st December, 2022 and 178 TBTU during the corresponding quarter ended 31st March, 2022. The overall LNG volume processed by the Company in the current quarter was 185 TBTU, as against the LNG volume processed in the previous and corresponding quarters, which stood at 167 TBTU and 190 TBTU respectively.

SJVN bags another 200 MW Solar Project, portfolio crosses 47000 MW

SHIMLA: Sh. Nand Lal Sharma, Chairman & Managing Director, SJVN today informed that SJVN has obtained 200 MW Grid Connected Solar Power Project in Khavda Solar Park through e-Reverse auction conducted by Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Limited (GUVNL). Sh. Nand Lal Sharma stated that SJVN bagged the full quoted capacity of 200 MW @ Rs 2.88 per unit on Build Own and Operate basis under Open Competitive Tariff bidding by GUVNL. This solar project shall be developed by SJVN in Khavda Solar Park, Gujarat. The tentative cost for development of this project shall be approximately Rs 1200 Crores.

DFCCIL MD RK Jain distributed prizes to trainee employees

Sports & Cultural programmes were organised at the Heavy Haul Institute (HHI) Noida where Junior Manager & Executive OP&BD employees are undergoing initial training. Sh. Ravindra Kumar Jain MD distributed prizes to the winners in presence of Sh. Nanduri Srinivas Dir/OP&BD, Sh. Hira Ballabh Dir/Fin, Sh. Ashish Kumar CVO & senior officials on 02.05.23.





Pakistan Cricket Board chairman **Najam Sethi** will allegedly seek a "written guarantee" from BCCI supremo Jay Shah about Indian team's participation in 2025 ICC Champions Trophy in Pakistan before committing on their national team playing their ODI World Cup games in India, later this year. The 2023 World Cup will be played from October 5.

The country's still nascent fantasy sport industry faces a multitude of challenges amid different laws. While the Indian Premier League (IPL) sets records on the field, off the field, Dream11, one of India's biggest fantasy sport platforms, claims to have broken new ground. **Swaroop Swaminathan** examines the industry, the different laws that govern the industry and why some state government have taken a dim view

STATE OF PLAY

IT'S Friday evening in this hotel in Ambattur, an industrial hub in Chennai. As the sun's rays filter through the windows, the Golden Hour is giving way to dusk. With regular coffee-drinkers, tiffin-eaters and snack-munchers long gone, the place's blue-collar workers have some downtime. A few use it to catch their breath. Most, though, are seeking their own golden goose in dying natural light. So, they whip out their phones to open Dream11 to set their fantasy team for the night. In 90 minutes or so, Chennai Super Kings will play host to Sunrisers Hyderabad. Another Indian Premier League match means another chance to put their knowledge of IPL teams to use. "I have not had the best of times this year," one of the workers tells this daily even as he's caught in two minds about Devon Conway's place in his team. "Hopefully my luck turns today," he says but the frustration is visible in his voice.

Elsewhere, another worker's internal monologue suggests he is in a similar quandary. There's some banter on this worker because he has made a hefty profit on his initial investment in 2023. "If you want to talk to anybody about this game in this hotel, it should be him," one of them informs this newspaper. "He has won some ₹4000 from ₹350 or so." The person who's the subject of the banter smiles. "It's all in the details."

Welcome to Dream11, the app that's increasingly gotten the country's attention over the last several years. In 2023, while the IPL has seemingly broken multiple records, off the field, the fantasy sports industry continues to grow at an unprecedented rate. Take for instance, Dream11. The platform, having 180 million users (2023), "had a user concurrency of 10.56 million — the highest ever for a single match compared to previous seasons of the tournament — and handled 308 mil-

lion requests per minute," according to a spokesperson who sent answers to specific questions via email. To put that number into some sort of context, that's the average number of viewers who tune into watch a game on the OTT platform (Jio Cinema) in 2023.

That same Friday evening, Alagappan Vijaykumar is working on his excel sheets. He's giving his 4000 or so new subscribers the best chance of acing the game. His Twitter bio gives away what he does. "World's 1st fantasy cricket guru". His excel sheets is an information dump on everything about the match including players you need to pick to optimise your squad, positive match-ups, negative match-ups, notes on the venue (MA Chidambaram Stadium on this occasion) and so on. Considering what's at stake, it's no surprise that people pay four figure sums to access those excel sheets.

"We have sold nearly 4000 subscriptions since December, with 1200+ yearly (which began at ₹999 per year and is now at ₹1999 per year), 2500+ monthly (which began at ₹149 per month and is now at ₹349 per month), and 200+ Premium (our most recent and biggest offering, which began at ₹3999 per year and is now at ₹7999 per year and is being rolled out in phases, with Phase III set to begin only on May 15)," Vijaykumar says. The 'we' he refers to is the name of his startup, coversoff.

Vijaykumar, who has been playing paid fantasy contests for a decade, says the idea behind becoming a content creator centred around fantasy cricket hit him in 2018. "I was spending 100s of hours on research for my season fantasy auctions and drafts ahead of every tournament, and there was no website that came close

to helping me in reducing the time necessary," he says. "At the time, though, the only way I could have addressed it was to start my own firm, because my vision for fantasy cricket coverage was radically different from the path that the existing platforms were following."

In the west, content creators around the fantasy gaming ecosystem is common. In India, it's rare and most of them are free. Like most Indian millennials hooked to cricket, he grew up playing ESPN Star's Super Selector and was sold on to the idea since then. "ESPN Star's Super Selector would have been an inspiration for many avid fantasy cricket enthusiasts my age, and it was the same for me," he says.

There is a direct link between Super Selector and the country's still nascent fantasy sport industry. Joy Bhattacharjya, who played a prominent role in bringing Super Selector to TV screens in the early noughties, is now the director general of the Federation of Indian Fantasy Sports (FIFS), a self-regulatory body that works with stakeholders. FIFS' members include Dream11, fantasy akhada, twelfth man and A23 among others (most of these companies have advertised or continue to advertise during live sports events).

"The increased level of activity in the Fantasy Sports space and the quality of the companies which have forayed into it has been top notch, which just shows you that it is a sunrise industry," Bhattacharjya told this daily via email. "The industry earned revenues of over ₹6,800 crore in FY22 and at 30 per cent CAGR, it is expected to cross ₹25k crore in FY27."

Long story short, it's a big business.

Sunday Special

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Law and order

Yet, not all Indians can legally access the pay to play areas of the different games. This is thanks to how the laws work in India. For example, Dream11's 'help' page says: "The laws in Assam, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, Telangana, Nagaland and Sikkim are unclear on games of skill that may be played for a fee. Hence, residents of these states are not permitted to join any cash contests on Dream11." Other Indian fantasy sport websites have similar caveats.

Other states, too, are threatening to pass similar ordinances effectively banning 'games of skill'. Even though the Supreme Court has held that Dream11 is a game of skill (where some knowledge is required to play the game), as the ecosystem is a state subject under the Constitution, states are free to adopt their own laws (the Tamil Nadu government and the Madras High Court have already faced each other over the issue).

Considering the multiple laws governing one industry, it was no surprise that the central government body, NITI Aayog, had proposed the creation of one independent organisation to self regulate the industry. However, there have been no concrete moves.

The one reason behind a few state governments wanting a blanket ban is the reports of people taking their own lives after running into debts while playing games online. While the National Crime Records Bureau have no plans to start



DID YOU KNOW?

In India, games are broadly divided into games of skill or games of chance. Real money online fantasy games (including but not limited to Dream11) have been classified as games of skill by the Supreme Court.

₹6,800 crore
Fantasy sports revenue in India in FY2022

98%
Dream11's users have not lost or won more than ₹10,000

180 mn
Registered no. of users on Dream11

10.56 mn
Highest concurrent number of users on the platform in 2023

in the 'free-to-play' format," the spokesperson added.

John Christopher, a Bengaluru-based advertising professional, is one of those who indulges in both formats. "I have been playing for the last three seasons," he says. "More or less a timepass from the monotony of lockdown and of watching neutral IPL games. I have dabbled with money games a few days but it's almost always been just for the fun component." For players like Raja and Vishal Krishna, the 'fun component' is the lure of the platform, even though both of them are aware of the potential to lose money. "I am in a league with a few friends and I only play during the IPL," says Krishna, who has been playing for a year. "The maximum I have paid to play is ₹100 and I ensure that it doesn't become more than that." Christopher is another who limits his exposure to small money leagues, even when he plays among his friends.

It's Saturday afternoon. Inside the same Ambattur hotel, one of the workers is counting his chickens. He picked Conway and the opener's contribution helped him.

tracking such suicides, the TN government have claimed that more than 25 people died by suicide in the state after losing money playing online games since 2021 (the government have not specified what games they played and there's nothing to suggest they played games of skill).

While Dream11 remained coy when asked about the challenges of navigating a complex scenario, they were intimate about 'Responsible Play'. "Our platform offers a wide variety of contests where the average contest entry fee is ₹37, and 98% of our users have won or lost less than ₹10,000 in their lifetime," the spokesperson

said. "We have implemented Responsible Play limits where users are alerted at critical financial milestones and they can opt to take a break or a time-out from using the app as they need. These steps have been taken to help users make better decisions. At the backend, our in-house system, FENCE (Fairplay Ensuring Network Chain Entity) has been specially designed so that users participating in every contest including the paid ones, win in a fair, square and transparent manner," they added. As it stands, 80% of the users on the platform use it for the free to play format. "Around 80% of our users prefer participating

Not spoken with family in Manipur: Bindyarani

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

AS violence gripped Manipur a few days ago, the 2022 Commonwealth Games silver medalist Bindyarani Devi Sorokhaibam started getting restless in Jinju, South Korea. With her competition in the 55kg lined-up for Saturday, the violent clashes in her state made her anxious and sad. For the last two days she has not been able to contact her parents back home. The ordeal continued till Saturday even as she took the platform and claimed silver at the ongoing Asian Weightlifting Championships.

"I haven't spoken to them since Thursday night. The situation in Manipur is making me cry and sad. I am worried for my family members," Bindyarani told this daily after grab-

bing overall silver by lifting a total weight of 194kg (83kg in snatch and 111kg in clean and jerk). Her voice sounded upset and heavy. She said every time she thought about her home, she felt like crying.

This is the first time the 24-year-old from Imphal has not spoken to her parents before and after a competition. "I never competed in any tournaments, be it national or international without speaking to them. My mother blesses me and wishes me luck, and so does my entire family. But this time, the situation is worrisome. There is no internet/mobile network in the place where my family lives (around 5-6km away from Im-

phal)," she said with a shaky voice.

However, the only solace is that she was able to communicate with her cousin in Imphal. "Somehow my cousin, who is staying in a hostel in Imphal managed to speak to me by making a direct call. He told me that everything is fine at my place. He is planning to visit my home when the situation improves. He has asked me to send the video of my competition so that he can show it to my parents," the lifter said.

Bindyarani is happy that she helped the country to its first medal in the event but the situation in her state is still troubling her: "It hurts me and I feel

helpless. I just hope peace will prevail in the end. I am praying that normalcy returns soon as I cannot watch people from my state suffer like this," she said.

Bindyarani lifted 80kg in the snatch event in her first attempt, before raising it to 83kg in her next attempt. She tried to lift 85kg in her third and last attempt but couldn't make it. In the clean and jerk section, she cleared her first two lifts of 109kg and 111kg but failed to lift 115kg. The second attempt of 111kg was also the second best of that section and earned her a silver too. Chinese Taipei's Chen Guan-ling finished first. The continental championships is one of the five events a lifter has to compete in if he/she wishes to qualify for the 2024 Paris Olympics.



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Clinical CSK take down Mumbai

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

A professional display by Chennai Super Kings enabled the MS Dhoni-led side to post a comfortable six-wicket win over Mumbai Indians in the IPL, played at Chepaauk on Saturday.

It was a day when everything worked for CSK as per plans. They restricted Mumbai to 139/8 and then their top-order piled on runs without fuss as they chased down the target in 17.4 overs. Devon Conway made a valuable 44 to put them in a winning position. Earlier, Ruturaj Gaikwad scored a quickfire 30 before Shivam Dube took on the spinners, hitting an unbeaten 26. It was only fitting that CSK captain Dhoni scored the winning runs to the cheer of a packed MA Chidambaram Stadium.

Chasing a modest 140, Ruturaj played with clarity and grace, he saw through a Jofra Archer over and attacked Arshad Khan. Ruturaj milked 20 runs from the Madhya Pradesh bowler and soon Conway joined the party. When Rohit Sharma brought on the spinners, MI pulled things back to an extent with Ruturaj and Ajinkya Rahane getting out. Ambati Rayudu too got out after which Dube came in and took charge of the chase.

Earlier, Mumbai opened with Cameron Green and Ishan Kishan and the move did not work. Green was castled by a peach of a delivery from Tushar Deshpande. Kishan, too, perished due to poor shot selection. In walked Rohit and a lot rested on his shoulders. But he failed once again. As soon as Dhoni came up to the stumps for Deepak Chahar, Rohit went for a scoop, but the ball went from the shoulder of the bat, clipped Rohit's thumb, and then lobbed up towards the gully and Ravindra Jadeja did the rest.

TITANS FACE LSG TEST; SRH LOOK TO STAY ALIVE

Gujarat Titans take on Lucknow Super Giants before Rajasthan Royals face Sunrisers Hyderabad in the evening. A look...

The Afghan duo

If Rashid Khan is the established superstar, Noor Ahmed is quickly becoming the next big Afghan star in the IPL. With Rashid, he has been the go-to bowling option for Titans this season. And they have Aashish Kapoor's scouting to thank for

Eyes on Samson

If there was a moment to steal the limelight and make the most for a wicket-keeper-batter, it is now. But Sanju Samson hasn't been doing that this season. His tactics in the last few games too haven't worked well, and would want to turn it around soon.

Will Krunal step up?

In absence of KL Rahul, Krunal Pandya is leading the side and he will look to inspire the team. Placed second in the table, they need at least three wins from four games to secure a place in top four.

Will Sunrisers stay alive?

After losing a game they should have won against Kolkata Knight Riders, Sunrisers have to win the rest of their games to keep their hopes alive. And they will have to start that by beating Royals on Sunday.

Gujarat Titans vs Lucknow Super Giants, 3.30 pm, Ahmedabad
Rajasthan Royals vs Sunrisers Hyderabad, 7.30 PM, Jaipur
Live on Star Sports and Jio Cinema



CSK skipper MS Dhoni after hitting the winning run on Saturday | AFP

With Mumbai reduced to 14/3, Nehal Wadhwa and Suryakumar Yadav tried to build a partnership. However, Surya got out, and from thereon, it was Wadhwa who held fort at one end to anchor the innings.

Brief scores: MI 139/8 in 20 ovs (Wadhwa 64; Pathirana 3/15) **lost** to CSK 140/4 in 17.4 ovs (Conway 44).

Salt powers DC to win over RCB

NEW DELHI: Phil Salt smashed a 45-ball 87 to help Delhi Capitals post an emphatic win over Royal Challengers Bangalore in the IPL on Saturday. Chasing 182, Salt and opening partner and skipper David Warner got off to a solid start before the latter was dismissed when the score was 60. Salt, with the support of Mitchell Marsh (26) and Rilee Rossouw (35 n.o.), dominated the proceedings after that. He got out towards the end but he had done enough for DC. Earlier, Virat Kohli (55) and Mahipal Lomror (54 n.o.) had helped RCB post 181/4.

Brief scores: Bangalore 181/4 in 20 ovs (Kohli 55, Lomror 54 n.o.) **lost** to Delhi 187/3 in 16.4 ovs (Salt 87, Rossouw 35 n.o.).

EXPRESS READ

Alcaraz into Madrid final on 20th birthday

MADRID: Defending champion Carlos Alcaraz celebrated his 20th birthday on Friday by reaching the Madrid Open final, likening himself to "a bull" in his straight sets (6-4, 6-3) win over Bornha Coric. He will face Germany's Jan-Lennard Struff, who had originally been knocked out in qualifying before winning a reprieve, in Sunday's final.

Man City go four clear of Arsenal in EPL

LONDON: Manchester City moved a step closer to being crowned Premier League champions with a 2-1 win against Leeds on Saturday. City are four points clear of second-placed Arsenal.

Results: Bournemouth 1-3 Chelsea; Man City 2-1 Leeds; Tottenham 1-0 Palace; Wolves 1-0 Villa; Liverpool 1-0 Brentford.

Expect mahapanchayat to be a huge success: Wrestlers

AGENCIES @New Delhi

THE protesting wrestling are hoping that the khap mahapanchayat scheduled at Jantar Mantar on Sunday will be of huge success and will help in getting more support for them in their fight against Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) chief Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh.

"Today is the 14th day of our sit-in protest at Jantar Mantar. The fact is you guys (supporters) are here and we are here too. We would like to thank all who are sitting with us here and supporting us. We would like to thank the entire country for standing with us in this fight for justice," said Vinesh Phogat on Saturday. "We hope we will achieve success in this



CPI General Secretary D Raja (c) with Bajrang Punia (l) | SHEKHAR YADAV

fight so that truth prevails."

Bajrang, an Olympic medalist, has appealed to the countrymen to observe a candlelight march on Sunday Another Olympic medalist wrestler Sakshi Malik said they are yet to decide the future course of action.

WORLD C'SHIPS

Akash & Nishant cruise to Last 16

AGENCIES @Tashkent

INDIAN pugilists Akash Sangwan (67kg) and Nishant Dev (71kg) secured comfortable wins and moved to the pre-quarterfinals of the IBA Men's World Boxing Championships 2023 in Tashkent, Uzbekistan on Saturday. Akash was facing Fu Mingke of China in the Round of 32 match. The Indian boxer was quick off the blocks and went on to win the bout by 5-0 verdict.

In the light middleweight Round of 32 bout, Nishant Dev beat South Korea's Lee Sang-min 5-0. The Indian boxer will be up against Palestine's Foaqahaa Nidal in the pre-quarterfinals on Tuesday.



Twitter exposes election offices to spoof accounts

Officials believe elimination of blue ticks makes the platform susceptible to false info

TECH

NEW YORK: Tracking down accurate information about Philadelphia's elections on Twitter used to be easy. The account for the city commissioners who run elections, @phillyvotes, was the only one carrying a blue check mark, a sign of authenticity.

But ever since the social media platform overhauled its verification service last month, the check mark has disappeared. That's made it harder to distinguish @phillyvotes from a list of random accounts not run by the elections office but with very similar names.

The election commission applied weeks ago for a gray check mark—Twitter's new symbol to help users identify official government accounts—but has yet to hear back from the Twitter, commission spokesman Nick Custodio said. It's unclear whether @phillyvotes is an eligible government account under Twitter's new rules.

That's troubling, Custodio said, because Pennsylvania has a primary election May 16 and the commission uses its account to share important information with voters in real time. If the account remains unverified, it will be easier to impersonate—and harder for voters to trust—heading into Election

Day. Impostor accounts on social media are among many concerns election security experts have heading into next year's presidential election. Experts have warned that foreign adversaries or others may try to influence the election, either through online disinformation campaigns or by hacking into election infrastructure.

Election administrators across the country have struggled to figure out the best way to respond after Twitter owner Elon Musk threw the platform's verification service into disarray, given that Twitter has been among their most effective tools for communicating with the public.

Some are taking other steps allowed by Twitter, such as buying check marks for their profiles or applying for a special label reserved for government entities, but success has been mixed. Election and security experts say the inconsistency of Twitter's new verification system is a misinformation disaster waiting to happen.

"The lack of clear, at-a-glance verification on Twitter is a ticking time bomb for disinformation," said Rachel Tobac, CEO of the cybersecurity company SocialProof Security. "That will confuse users—especially on important days like election days."



Policy change

Twitter's policy opened the door for pranksters to pose as celebrities, politicians, govt entities, which could no longer be identified as authentic

AVOID BEING CANNIBALISED

But a new finding reported Thursday—of a pheromone emitted by the insects to avoid being cannibalized when in a swarm—could potentially pave the way to reigning in the voracious pests

DIRECTED BY THREAT OF CONSUMPTION

Study leader Bill Hansson, director of the Max Planck Institute's Department of Evolutionary Neuroethology, said that the new paper, published in Science, built on prior research that found swarms are directed not by cooperation—but actually the threat of consumption by other locusts



CANNIBALISM

INTERWOVEN IN NATURE

While repulsive to modern humans, cannibalism is rife in nature—from lions that kill and devour cubs that are not theirs, to foxes that consume dead kin for energy

For locusts, cannibalism is thought to serve an important ecological purpose



EXFILE • RESEARCH

SCIENTISTS FIND CHEMICAL THAT STOPS LOCUST CANNIBALISM

Plagues of locusts that darken the skies and devastate all things that grow have been recorded since Biblical times, and today threaten the food security of millions of people across Asia and Africa

BEHAVIORAL CHANGES

But when their population density increases due to rainfall and temporarily good breeding conditions, which is followed by food scarcity, they undergo major behavioral changes due to a rush of hormones that rev them up, causing them to aggregate in swarms and become more aggressive

Increase in cannibalism

In experiments that took four years to complete, Hansson's team first established that cannibalism rates did indeed increase as the number of "gregarious" locusts kept in a cage went up, proving in the lab what Couzin had observed in the field in Africa

GREGARIOUS PHASE

This is known as the "gregarious" phase and it's thought the fear of cannibalism helps keep the swarm moving in the same direction, from an area of lower to higher food concentration, according to 2020 research by Iain Couzin

INTRICATE BALANCE

Researchers Iain Couzin and Einat Couzin-Fuchs said the discovery helped shed light on the "intricate balance" between the mechanisms that cause migratory locusts to group together versus compete with one another

PHENYLACETONITRILE

Next, they compared the odors emitted by solitary and gregarious locusts, finding 17 smells produced exclusively during the gregarious phase

Of these, one chemical, known as phenylacetone nitrile (PAN), was found to repel other locusts in behavioral tests

MIGRATORY LOCUSTS

Migratory locusts (Locusta migratoria) occur in different forms and behave so differently that they were, until recently, thought to be entirely different species

newindianexpress.com

SOLITARY PHASE

Most of the time, they exist in a "solitary" phase keeping to themselves and eating comparatively little, like timid grasshoppers



April heat in western Mediterranean a catalyst of climate change

ENVIRONMENT

MADRID: The extreme heat that engulfed the Iberian peninsula and parts of North Africa last week would have been "almost impossible without climate change", an international scientific study found on Fri-

day. The "exceptional early heatwave" involved "local temperatures up to 20 degrees hotter than normal and April records being broken by up to 6 degrees", said the report by the World Weather Attribution (WWA).

A mass of hot, dry air from

North Africa reached the Iberian peninsula early last week, driving temperatures to record highs for April, with the mercury hitting 38.8 degrees Celsius in southern Spain and 36.9C in central Portugal.

Such temperatures only tend to occur in July. In Morocco, lo-

cal records were broken with temperatures soaring above 41C in some places, while in Algeria, they exceeded 40C.

Spain this year recorded its driest and hottest April since at least 1961, when such records began, national weather agency AEMET said.

"Human-caused climate change made the record-breaking heatwave in Spain, Portugal, Morocco and Algeria at least 100 times more likely and the heat would have been almost impossible without climate change," the WWA report found.

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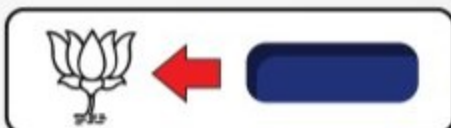
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ONE dead and at least six injured at Mississippi party shooting on late Friday night



Beijing	19	16	TDS	Los Angeles	18	12	LC
Colombo	31	25	LC	Melbourne	18	9	HR
Dhaka	32	26	TDS	Moscow	16	3	HR
Dubai	32	22	SNY	New York	14	9	LC
Houston	28	23	SNY	Singapore	31	27	TDS
Istanbul	21	11	LC	Toronto	9	7	LC
London	19	12	LC	Washington	17	7	LC

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • SW: Snow
• TDS: Thunderstorm • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

5 things to look for King Charles III's coronation

FAITH LEADERS FROM OUTSIDE THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND TOOK PART IN THE CEREMONY FOR THE FIRST TIME. HERE ARE FIVE ARTIFACTS THAT PLAYED A CENTRAL ROLE



The coronation chair and Stone of Scone

The crown was placed on Charles' head as he sat in the Coronation Chair suspended over the Stone of Scone—the sacred slab of sandstone on which Scottish kings were crowned. The 2.05-metre tall chair is made of oak and was originally covered in gold leaf and coloured glass



Coronation Spoon

The gold-plated silver Coronation Spoon is central to the most sacred part of the coronation ceremony, when the Archbishop of Canterbury poured holy oil from an eagle-shaped ampulla, or flask, into the spoon and then rubbed it on the king's hands, breast and head. The 26.7-centimetre spoon is believed to have been made during the 12th Century for either King Henry II or King Richard I



The Cullinan Diamond

Two stones cut from the Cullinan Diamond—the largest rough diamond ever found—featured prominently. Cullinan I, a huge stone weighing 530.2 carats, was mounted in the Sovereign's Sceptre with Cross. Cullinan II, a cushion-shaped gem of 317.4 carats, was mounted on front of the Imperial State Crown that Charles wore as he left Westminster Abbey



St. Edward's Crown

The crowning moment of the coronation ceremony occurred, literally, when the Archbishop of Canterbury placed St. Edward's Crown on Charles' head. The current St. Edward's Crown was made for the coronation of King Charles II in 1661 and has been used in every coronation since then. The crown glitters with stones including tourmalines, white and yellow topazes



The Gold State Coach

King Charles III and Queen Camilla travelled back to Buckingham Palace from Westminster Abbey in the Gold State Coach, a 261-year-old relic that is renowned as much for its uncomfortable ride as its lavish decoration. The coach was built in 1762 under the reign of King George III and it has been used in every coronation since 1831. It is made of wood and plated with gold leaf

CROWNING MOMENT FOR KING CHARLES III

Heir to the throne Prince William, his wife Kate and their three kids attended the ceremony. However, Prince Harry arrived alone

Anti-monarchy protesters arrested

The UK police on Saturday arrested six demonstrators, including the head of an anti-monarchy group Republic. Footage showed protesters in "Not My King" T-shirts being detained, including Republic's CEO Graham Smith ahead of the Coronation in Trafalgar Square in London.

Pacific Island tribe celebrates coronation

1,000 people from the volcanic island of Tanna in the south of Vanuatu gathered in the lush, rugged highlands to feast on local delicacies and drink shells full of kava—a peppery, mildly intoxicating root drink that is a key part of Pacific culture. The villagers believe his father was a local deity.

Special gesture by Premier League teams

Premier League clubs marked the coronation of King Charles III by playing the national anthem before the start of games on Saturday. Players gathered at the center of the field at Tottenham Hotspur Stadium for a rendition of the national anthem—"God Save the King"—just before kickoff.

LONDON

King Charles III was crowned on Saturday at Westminster Abbey, receiving the bejeweled St. Edward's Crown in a ceremony built on ancient tradition at a time when the monarchy is striving to remain relevant in a fractured modern Britain.

Trumpets sounded inside the medieval abbey and the congregation shouted "God save the king!" at a service attended by more than 2,000 guests, including world leaders, aristocrats and celebrities.

The crowd of well-wishers swelled to hundreds of thousands by the time the newly crowned Charles and Queen Camilla emerged to wave from the Buckingham Palace balcony alongside younger generations of royals.

It was the culmination of a seven-decade journey for the king from heir to monarch.

To the royal family and government, the occasion—code-named Operation Golden Orb—was a display of heritage, tradition and spectacle unmatched around the world.

To the crowds gathered under rainy skies—thousands of whom had camped overnight—it was a chance to be part of a



Britain's King Charles III and Queen Camilla wave from the balcony of Buckingham Palace following their coronation ceremony in London on Saturday | AP

historic occasion.

As the day began, the abbey buzzed with excitement and was abloom with fragrant flowers and colorful hats as the congregation of international dignitaries, nobles and other notables arrived.

The notoriously feuding royal family put on its own show of unity. Heir to the throne Prince William, his wife, Kate, and their three children were all in attendance. Towards the end of the ceremony, William knelt before his father and pledged loyalty to the king—

before kissing him on the cheek.

William's younger brother Prince Harry, who has publicly sparred with the family, arrived alone. His wife Meghan and their children remained at home in California, where the couple has lived since quitting as working royals in 2020. Large crowds cheered as Charles and Camilla rode in the Gold State Carriage from the Abbey to Buckingham Palace, accompanied by a procession of 4,000 troops and military bands playing jaunty tunes. AP



Crowds gather outside Buckingham Palace after the coronation ceremony for Britain's King Charles III in London on Saturday | AP



UK's Prince Louis of Wales, UK's Prince George of Wales and UK's Princess Charlotte of Wales (L) and Royal Air Force jets fly over the Victoria Memorial (R) | AP



A coach carrying Britain's Prince William, Catherine, Princess of Wales and their children rides past anti-monarchy protesters following the coronation ceremony | AP

Rishi Sunak reads from biblical book

LONDON

RISHI Sunak on Saturday made history as the first Indian-origin British PM to perform a reading at the Coronation ceremony of King Charles III and Queen Camilla at Westminster Abbey in London.

The 42-year-old British Hindu leader read from the Epistle to the Colossians from the New Testament reflecting the theme of service to others, in keeping with the recent tradition of UK Prime Ministers giving readings at State occasions.

He and his wife Akshata Murty, daughter of NR Narayana Murthy, led the procession of flag-bearers as the UK's Union Jack flag was carried into the Abbey by a high-ranking Royal Air Force (RAF) cadet.

"In the Abbey where monarchs have been crowned for almost a thousand years, representatives of every faith will play a central role for the first time," said Sunak.

"The Coronation of King Charles III and Queen Camilla will be a moment of extraordinary national pride. Together with friends from across the Commonwealth... we will celebrate the enduring nature of our great monarchy: its constancy, devotion to duty, and service to others. No other country could put on such a dazzling display..." he said.

However, he stressed the Coronation, the first in 70 years since Queen Elizabeth II was crowned in June 1953, is not just a spectacle but a proud expression of history, culture, and traditions. PTI

World leaders congratulate Charles and Camilla

PARIS

LEADERS around the world sent congratulations to UK's King Charles III and Queen Camilla on their coronation.

US hails friendship

US President Joe Biden paid tribute to the "enduring friendship between the US and the UK." He tweeted that the countries' relationship was "a

source of strength for both our peoples."

China urges peace

Chinese President Xi Jinping urged the UK to work for a stable and mutually beneficial... relationship. "China and Britain should take... strategic view to jointly promote the historical trend of peace, development and win-win cooperation," Jinping said.

EU sees symbol of stability

The head of EU's executive, European Commission President Ursula von der Leyen, called coronation a testament to the enduring strength of British monarchy. "A symbol of stability and continuity," Leyen tweeted.

Germany praises climate ally

German Chancellor Olaf

Scholz also welcomed the newly crowned monarch's interest in tackling climate change. "(It) is very important that he... has his own personal agenda to advance climate protection," Scholz said.

Best wishes from Rome

Italian PM Giorgia Meloni sent her "best wishes to King Charles III, to Queen Camilla and the entire British people."

Sudan envoys begin talks to end conflict

ASWAN

SUDAN'S warring sides were beginning talks on Saturday that aim to firm up a shaky cease-fire after three weeks of fierce fighting that has killed hundreds and pushed the African country to the brink of collapse, the United States and Saudi Arabia said.

The negotiations, the first between the Sudanese military and the paramilitary Rapid Support Forces, or RSF, since the fighting broke out on April 15, were taking place in Saudi Arabia's coastal city of Jeddah, on the Red Sea, according to a joint Saudi-American statement.

Officials from the military and the RSF said the talks would address the opening of humanitarian corridors in Khartoum and the adjacent city of Omdurman.

They would also discuss providing protection to civilian infrastructure, including health facilities that have been overwhelmed and suffer from dire shortages of both staff and medical supplies, one military official said.

An RSF official they would



Evacuees flown out of Sudan disembark a Qatari C-17 Globemaster at Al Udeid Air Base in Qatar on Saturday | AP

also discuss a mechanism to monitor the ceasefire, which is one of a series of truces that failed to stop the fighting. The officials spoke on condition of anonymity.

The talks are part of a diplomatic initiative proposed by the kingdom and the US that aims to stop the fighting, which has turned Sudan's capital, Khartoum, and other urban areas into battlefields and pushed hundreds of thousands from their homes.

Saudi Arabia and the US urged both parties to "actively engage in the talks towards a ceasefire and end to the conflict, which will spare the Sudanese people's suffering." AP

Ukraine downs Russian hypersonic missile with US Patriot

KYIV

UKRAINE'S air force claimed on Saturday to have downed a Russian hypersonic missile over Kyiv using newly acquired American Patriot defence systems, the first known time the country has been able to intercept one of Moscow's most modern missiles.

Air Force commander Mykola Oleschchuk said in a Telegram post that the Kinzhal-type ballistic missile had been intercepted in an overnight attack on the Ukrainian capital earlier in the week.

"Yes, we shot down the unique Kinzhal," Oleschchuk wrote. "It happened during the night time attack on May 4 in

the skies of the Kyiv region."

Oleschchuk said the Kh-47 missile was launched by a MiG-31K aircraft from the Russian territory and was shot down with a Patriot missile.

The Kinzhal is one of the latest and most advanced Russian weapons. The Russian military says the air-launched ballistic missile has a range of up to

2,000 kilometres and flies at 10 times the speed of sound, making it hard to intercept.

A combination of hypersonic speed and a heavy warhead allows the Kinzhal to destroy heavily fortified targets, like underground bunkers or mountain tunnels.

The Ukrainian military has previously admitted lacking as-

sets to intercept the Kinzhals.

"They were saying that the Patriot is an outdated American weapon, and Russian weapons are the best in the world," Air Force spokesman Yuriy Ihnat said on Ukraine's Channel 24. "Well, there is confirmation that it effectively works against even a super hypersonic missile." Ihnat said. AP

Action against 6 Pakistani officials for accessing personal data of Army chief

ISLAMABAD

PAKISTAN authorities have initiated criminal proceedings against six officials who allegedly accessed the personal information of Army chief General Asim Munir's family, a media report said on Saturday.

The National Database and Registration Authority (Nadra), the top national body tasked with issuing national identity cards and passports by storing data of citizens, took action against its employees following probes.

An informed source told the Dawn newspaper that the ele-

ments on whose behest the breach took place were also being acted against and as many as six Nadra employees were dismissed from service for illegally accessing the Chief of Army Staff's family's record, following four separate inquiries.

A joint probe conducted by Nadra and a sensitive security agency in December last year discovered that Farooq Ahmed, a junior executive employee working on a project of the Benazir Income Support Programme, was the first person to have unlawfully accessed the

data in question. The high-powered inquiry committee on the direction of the incumbent chairman expanded the scope of the investigation by technically analysing logins, user IDs, system logs and IP addresses that were intact, reflecting the strength of the authority's database.

This led to the identification of a total of 10 employees who illegally accessed records of the Army chief's family. After a fact-finding inquiry the suspects were cross-examined and a detailed probe was launched. PTI

IRANIAN-SWEDISH NATIONAL

Iran hangs man over 2018 attack on military parade

DUBAI

IRAN executed an Iranian-Swedish dual national on Saturday accused of masterminding a 2018 attack on a military parade that killed at least 25 people, one of several enemies of Tehran seized abroad in recent years.

Farajollah Cha'ab, also known as Habib Asyoud, had been a leader of the Arab Struggle Movement for the Liberation of Ahwaz, an Arab separatist movement that has conducted oil pipeline bombings and other attacks in Iran's oil-rich Khuzestan province.

That group had claimed the 2018 attack in its immediate aftermath.

Cha'ab's execution comes as a Swedish court last year sentenced an Iranian to life in prison over his part in the 1988 mass executions in Iran at the end of its war with Iraq.

The Iranian judiciary's Mizan news agency confirmed Cha'ab's execution by hanging in a lengthy statement.

It identified him as the leader of the militant group and alleged without providing evidence that he had ties to Swedish, Israeli and US intelligence services. AP

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Declaration about criminal antecedents of candidates set up by the party							
(As per the judgment dated 25th September, 2018 of Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP (Civil) No. 536 of 2011 (Public Interest Foundation & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Anr.)							
Name of Political Party : INDIAN NATIONAL CONGRESS							
* Name of Election : GENERAL ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS - 2023							
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Sl. No.	Name of constituency	Name of candidate	(A) Pending criminal cases		(B) Details about cases of conviction for criminal offences		
			Name of Court, case No. & status of the case(s)	Sections of the Acts concerned & brief description of offence(s)	Name of Court & date(s) of order(s)	Description of offence(s) & punishment imposed	Maximum Punishment Imposed
1	Kudachi	Mahendra K. Thammannavar	Cr. No.: 83/2023, J.M.F.C Court Raybag	U/s 188 of IPC 1860- Religious Institute (Prevention of Misuse Act, 1988)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
2	Arabhavi	Arvind Dalwai	CC No. 479/18, CC No. 1199/18, Civil Judge JMFC Court, Mudalagi, Belagavi. Additional Civil Judge (Jr. Dn) & JMFC Court, Gokak, Belagavi	IPC 1860 (U/s-171F)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
3	Yemkanamardi	Satish Laxmanrao Jarkiholi	Case No: 20/2022 Additional Civil Judge(Junior Division) and JMC Court Ramnagar	U/S 5 (3A) of Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act 2020 and U/S 141,143,290,336 & 149 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
4	Belgaum Rural	Smt. Laxmi Ravindra Hebbalkar	Case No: 14/2022 Additional Civil Judge(Junior Division) and JMC Court Kanakapura	U/S 5 (3A) of Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act 2020 and U/S 141,143,290,336 & 149 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
5	Khanapur	Anjali Nimbalkar	Crime No. 3/2022: 42nd Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Ramanagara Crime No. 02/2022, 1st Additional Civil Judge and JMFC Kanakapura Crime No. 149/2022 2nd Additional CMM Bangalore	Act, 2020 U/s 5(3A) r/w Sec- 143, 149,290,336,141 of IPC, Act, 2020 U/s 5(3A) r/w Sec- 143, 149,290,336, 141 of IPC., offense u/s 103 of Karnataka Police Act r/w section 3 of Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act 1984 r/w section 427, 143, 147, 149,188 and 290 of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
6	Saundatti Yellamma	Vishwas Vasant Vaidya	Case No: 0097/2023 Additional Civil Judge (Junior Division) and JMC Court Ramnagar	Sec 171E of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
7	Mudhol	Ramappa Balappa Timmapur	42nd ACMM Court Bangalore CC No.30768/2021	43, 47,341,336,42 R/W 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
8	Terdal	Siddappa Ramappa Konnur	CC No. 1550/2021, CC No. 755/2022, 6th Add JMFC Belagavi 9th Add	The candidate is arrayed as Accused in the charge sheet for offense under Sec 138 NI Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
9	Hungund	Vijayanand S.Kashappanavar	Case No: 98/2022 1354-42 Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate	U/S 143,147,283,504,506	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
10	Babaleshwar	M.B. Patil	Cr No: 0149/2022 2nd Additional CMM Court Nruptunga Road, Cr No: 54/2022 8th Additional CMM Court Nruptunga Road, Cr No: 20/2022, JMFC Court Ramnagar Cr No: 0001/2022: 0002/2022 42nd Add. CMM Bangalore. JMFC Court Kanakapur, Cr No: 13/22 JMFC Court, Ramanagar	Karnataka Police Act, 1963(U/s-103); Prevention of damage to public property Act, 1984(U/s-3); IPC 1860 (U/s427, 143, 147, 149,188,290) Karnataka Police Act, 1963(U/s-103); IPC 1860 (U/s-146, 341) Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020 (U/s-5(3A)); IPC 1860(U/s-141, 143,290,336, 149) Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020 5(3A); IPC 1860(U/s-141, 143,149,290,336) Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020(U/s-5(3A)); IPC 1860 (U/s-141, 143, 290, 336, 149)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
11	Nagthan(SC)	Vitthal Katakadhonda	Case No: 38/2008 12 Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court Bangalore	U/S 127(a) of RP OX and 3 of Karnataka Open Place Defence Act and 52 of MV OX	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
12	Indi	Yashavantraya Gouda V. Patil	Indi Town PS Cr. No. 142/19: LXXXI Addi City Civil Judge, Bangalore City, Mahal PS Solapur District Cr No.56/2023:JMFC Mahal, Zalaki Ps Cr No. 50/2023:Principal Civil Judge, JMFC Indi	Sec 465,468,420,506r/w 34 of IPC Sec 465,468,420, 506r/w34of IPC Sec 465,468,420, 506r/w 34 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
13	JEVARGI	Ajaya Singh	II Additional CMM Court, Nrupathunga Road, Bangalore City, FIR / Crime No 0149/2022, Charges Not framed	Offence under U /Sec 103 of Karnataka Police Act 1963: Penalty for contravention of orders under section 31. This offence is Non Cognizable and Bailable. U / Sec 3 of Prevention of damage to public property Act 1984: Mischief causing damage to public property. This offence is Cognizable and Bailable. Sec 427 : Mischief causing damage to the amount of fifty rupees and 290 of IPC Punishment for public nuisance in cases not otherwise provided for are Non-Cogniz able and Bailable. Sections 143: Being member of an unlawful assembly; Sec. 147 : Rioting. Sec. 188 Disobedienc e to order duly promulgated by public servant are Cognizable and Bailable. Section 149 of IPC: If an offence be committed by any member of an unlawful assembly, every other member of such assembly shall be guilty of the offence. The nature is same as for the offence. According as offence is cognizable or non-cognizable.According as offence is bailable or non-bailable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
14	Shorapur	Raja Venakatappa Naik	Additional JMFC Court, Shorapur. PRL JMFC Court, Shorapur. Case No. 378/2016 Evidence Case No. 474/2019 HBC Case No. 2183/2022 Appreance/Summons FIR No. 29/2023 Appearance, FIR No. 24/2023 Appearance FIR No. 27/2023 Appearance	U/s 188 IPC U/s 143, 147, 189,353, 504, 506 r/w 149 IPC U/s 153 IPC U/s 143, 147, 148, 323, 324, 326, 504, 506 r/w 149 IPC U/s 143, 147, 148, 114, 324, 427, 504, 506 r/w 149 IPC Sec 152 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
15	Gurumitkal	Baburao Chinchanasoor	Gurumitkal Police Station CC No. 528/2018 4th Additional Metropolitan Magistrate, Hyderabad CC No. 6830/2021 LXXVI City Civil and Sessions Court, Bangalore PCR No. 44/2012, High Court of Telangana Cr P No. 2603/2023, High Court of Karnataka Crp No. 3487/2016	Sec 188 of IPC IPC 406 Sec13(e) of PC Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
16	Chittapur	Priyank Kharge	PCR 2990/2023 Additional CMM, Nrupatunga Road, Bangalore FIR No. 0019/2023 8th Additional CMM, Nrupatunga Road, Bangalore, FIR No. 0149/2022 2nd Additional CMM, Nrupatunga Road, Bangalore, FIR No. 0054/2022 8th Additional CMM, Nrupatunga Road, Bangalore, CC No. 8717/2022 Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore 6231/2022 Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore 194/2022 PRL. Civil Judge and JMFC, Kanakapura 145/2022 1st additional civil judge and JMFC, Kanakapura 146/2022 1st additional civil judge and JMFC, Kanakapura	U/s 499, 500, of IPC 1860 U/s 143, 149, 283 of IPC 1860 U/s 427, 147, 149, 188, 290 of IPC 1980 R/w U/s 103 of Karnataka Police Act, 1963 and Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act, 1984 U/s.3 U/s 143, 341 of IPC r/w U/s 103 of Karnataka Police Act, 1963 U/s 141, 143, 290, 336 r/w 149 of IPC and U/s 5(3A) KED Act 2020 U/s 141, 143, 290, 336 r/w 149 of IPC and U/s 5(3A) KED Act 2020 U/s 141, 143, 290, 336 r/w 149 of IPC and U/s 5(3A) KED Act 2020 U/s 141, 143, 290, 336 r/w 149 of IPC and U/s 5(3A) KED Act 2020 U/s 141, 143, 290, 336 r/w 149 of IPC and U/s 5(3A) KED Act 2020	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
17	Sedam	Dr. Sharan Prakash Patil	CC No. 8717/2022 42nd ACMM SPL. Court to deal with criminal cases related to MP's MLA's Triable by Magistrate in the state of Karnataka Magistrate, Bengaluru Matter Stayed by Honourbale High Court of Karnataka, Bengaluru CRLP No. 5726/2022 CC No. 194/2022 PRL. Civil Judge and JMFC, Kanakapur Issued Summons to accused 267/2020 JMFC Court, Chincholi Tq. Matter Stayed by the Honourable IVth Additional District and Sessions Judge at Kalaburagi sitting at Sedam Criminal Revision petition 10/2023	Sec. 5(3A), 143, 149, 290, 336, 141 IPC R/w Epidemic Diseases Act. Sec. 5(3A) 143, 149, 290, 336, 141 IPC R/w Epidemic Diseases Act. 188 IPC R/w 51(B) Disaster Management Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

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18	Basavakalyan	Vijay Singh	Crime No. 0020/2023 PRL Civil Judge (Junior Division) JMFC Court, Basavakalyana –Bidar CC/3500/2022 II Additional Senior Civil Judge and JMFC, Bidar	Sec.143: Being a member of an Unlawful assembly, this offence is Cognizable and Bailable. Sec.323: Voluntary causing hurt, this Section is Bailable and Non-Cognizable in nature. Sec. 504: Intentional insult leading to provocation this offence is Bailable and Non-Cognizable in nature. Sec.506: Criminal intimidation this offence is Bailable and Non-Cognizable in nature. Section 149: Prosecution of common object the nature is same as the offence and according to that said offence, it is cognizable/non-cognizable; bailable or non-bailable in nature. Section 51(b) DM Act, 2005: refuses to comply with any direction given by or on behalf of the Central Government or the State Government or the National Executive Committee or the State Executive Committee or the District Authority under this Act. This offence is bailable in nature. Sec. 188 of IPC: Disobedience to order duly promulgated by public servant is cognizable and bailable in nature.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
19	Humnabad	Rajshekar Basavaraj Patil	Cr No. 0061/2021 Principal JMFC Court, Humnabad	Sec 341, 504, 506 R/w Sec. 34 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
20	Bidar South	Ashok Kheny	PCR No.11652/2022 4 th ACMM, Bengaluru CC No.30749/2021 42nd ACMM Bengaluru SLP (Crl) No. 2885-87/2019 The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India	U/s 120B, 403, 406, 420 of IPC 1860 U/s 120B, 167, 177, 182, 192, 193, 196,197, 198, 199, 200, 217, 218, 409, 415, 420,464, 468, 471 of IPC 1860 R/w Sec. 31 of RP Act, 1950, Sec. 13 and 26(1) of Registration of Electoral Rules 1960 420, 406, 120B R/w Sec. 34 of IPC and 321(B) of Municipal Corporation Act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
21	Bhalki	Eshwar Khandre	CC No. 146/2022 CC No. 145/2022 CC No. 194/2022 CC No. 32628/2021 CC No. 6231/2021 Cr. No. 26/2023 Cr No. 46/2023 1st Additional Civil Judge (J.Dn) and JMFC Court Kanakapura PRL, Civil Judge and JMFC Kanakapura 42nd ACMM (Spl. Court to deal with criminal cases related to MP's or MLA's Triable by Magistrate in state of Karnataka)	U/s 171(e) of IPC U/s 171 (e) of IPC U/s 141, 143, 290, 336, 149 of IPC and U/s 5(3A) of the Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
22	Raichur Rural	Basanagouda Daddal	CC/0000389/2019 Additional Junior Civil Judges Court, Gadwal	Sec 188 and Sec 290 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
23	Raichur	Mohammed Shalam	CC No. 3893/2021 Prl. CJM at Raichur	U/s 269, 270, 188 of IPC 5(1) of KED Act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
24	Sindhanur	Hampana Gouda	CC No. 62/2022 Chief JMFC Lingasugur	U/s 416, 419, 420, 468, 471 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
25	Maski	Basan Gouda	CC No. 5439/2021 4th Additional first divisional DC Court, Raichur CC No. 32293/2021 City Civil and Sessions Judge, Special Court, Bangalore	Sec 5(1) KED Act and Sec 269, 270 of IPC Act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
26	Koppal	Raghavendra Hitnal	CC No. 0030/2023 Civil Judge and JMFC, Koppal	IPC 1860 (U/s-171F) : Religious institutions(Prevention of misuse) Act, 1988 (U/s-7)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
27	Gadag	H.K Patil	CC 145/2022:1st Add .Civil Judge (J.Dn) & JMFC Court Kanakapur a PRL, Civil Judge and JMFC Kanakapura, CC 6231/2021: 42nd ACMM (Spl. Court to deal with Criminal cases related to MPs/MLAs trialable by Magistrate in State of Karnataka)	141,143,290, 336 r/w 149 & 5(3A) KED Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
28	Nargund	B R Yavgal	CC No. 8717/2022: 42 Addi. Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Bengaluru	Secs. 5(3A), 143,149,290,336, 141 IPC Act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
29	Dharwad	Vinay Kulkarni	Case No: 145/2022 1st Additional. Civil Judge (J.Dn) Court Kanakapura Case No: 146/2022 2nd Add.. JMFC Court Kanakapur Case No: 194/2022 2nd Add.. JMFC Court Kanakapur Case No: 515/2001 JMFC Court Belagavi Case No: 964/2016 Dharward Court	U/s 141,143,219,376 and 149 IPC U/s 141,143,219, 376 and 149 IPC U/s 141,143,219,376 and 149 IPC U/s 143, 147, 148, 120(b), 302, and 149 IPC U/s 143,147,148,and 149,302, and 149 IPC and 25 sec 3,5,6,8	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
30	Kalghatgi	Santosh S. Lad	CC No: 25697 of 2022, 2nd ACMM Bangalore	Sec 138	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
31	Haliyal	R. V. Deshapande	FIR No. NIL 014912022 2nd Add. CMM Court, Bangalore City.	Section 103 of KPA of 1963, Section 3 of Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act of 1984, Sections 427 , 143, 141, 149, 188 and 290 of Indian Penal Code of 1860	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
32	KARWAR	Sathish Krishna Sail	1-JMFC, Ankola C.C. No. 301/ 12. 302/12, 303/12. 304/12, 305/12. 306/12, 307/12. 308/12, 309/12, 310/12. 311/12, 312/12, 313/12, 314/12 2 -City Civil Court Bangalore 105/2014 3-SPL CC-11/2014 City Civil Court Bangalore 4 - SPL. CC-15/2014 City Civil Court Bangalore 5-SPL CC-37/2014 City Civil Court Bangalore 6-SPL CC-38/2014 City Civil Court Bangalore 7- SPL CC-53/2014 City Civil Court Bangalore 8-SPL CC-54/2014 City Civil Court Bangalore 9- SPL CC-21/2014 City Civil Court 10- JMFC Ankola CC No. 52/2007 29/4-2006 11- JMFC, Kan CC No. 675/2009 12-PR. Senior CIVIL JUDGE AND CJM, Karwara 0.5.15/201 113- CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFCL Karwar OS 129/2012 14-Civil Judge and JMFCL CC: 67928 21	1- 120-B,379 r/w 34 & 35 IPC 2-120-B t/w 409,420, 434, 447. 468, 471 IPC Sec 13(2) r/w 13(1)© & (d) 1988 of P.C. Act, 3-Sec. 379 r/w 120-B & 420 IPC 4-Sec. 379 r/w 120-B3 & 420 IPC 5-Sec. 379 r/w 120-B & 420 IPC 6-Sec. 379 r/w 120-B & 420 IPC 7-Sec.379 r/w 120-B & 420 IPC 8-Sec.379 r/w 120-B & 420 IPC 9-Sec 420, 120-13 and under see 13(1)(d) and 13 (2)of PC ACT 10- Under section 21 & 21 w 37 of Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 11- Under section 143,147,341, 427-149 of IPC 12- Civil Suit 13-Civil Suit 14-U/s 506	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
33	Shiggaon	Md. Yousuf Savanur	PAR No : 54/2023 Shiggaon Police Station FIR No: 0114/2023 Hangal Police Station FIR No: 0114/2023 0230/2021	107 CRPC IPC-1860 Column 143, 147, 148, 323, 324, 354, 355, 504 sub column 149 143,147,427,447,506 sub Column 149 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
34	Hadagalli	Parameshwara Naik P T	Cr No. 0055/2023 Civil Judge and JMFC Court, Hadagalli Cr No. 0053/2023 Civil Judge and JMFC Court, Hadagalli Cr No. 0161/2022 Civil Judge and JMFC Court, Hadagalli CC No. 25317/2022 People's Representative Court, Cauvery Bhavan, Bengaluru CC No.0000146/2022 People's Representative Court, Cauvery Bhavan, Bengaluru Cr No. 53/2020 People's Representative Court, Cauvery Bhavan, Bengaluru	Sec. IPC 195 and Sec. 1988 (U/s 123(2) IPC 1860 (U/s 171F, 188) Sec. IPC 1860 Sec 171E, 34, 171F, 188 Sec. 504 IPC Sec. 188 IPC Sec- 141, 143, 290, 336R/w 149 IPC and 5(3A) KED Act Sec 269, 270, 271, 336 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

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35	Hagaribom manahalli	L B P Bheema Naik	CC No. 30681/2022, CC No. 30673/2022, CC No. 30345/222 CC No. 30045/2022 42nd Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court, Bangalore	Sec 143, 147, 171C, 188, 149 IPC Elected Representatives Act, U/s 131, 132 Sec 143, 147, 171C, 188 IPC Elected Representatives Act, U/s 131, 132 Sec 171C, 188 IPC Elected Representatives Act, U/s 131,132 Sec 143, 147, 504, 171C 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
36	Vijaynagara	H R Gaviyappa	Cr No. 44/2023 Principal Civil Judge and JMFC,Hospet	U/s 171H of IPC and 192,177 of IMV Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
37	Bellary	B Nagendra	1. CR No.28/2014 2. CR No.22/2014 3. CR No.1/2015 4. CR No.19/2014 5. CR No. 10/2014 6. CR No.15/2015 7. CR No. 1/2014 8. CR No. 30/2014 9. CR No. 24/2014 10.CR No.21/2015 11. CR No.25/2015 12. CR No. 02/2021 13. CR No. 03/2021 14. RC 15A 120BL/2012 15. RC 14A/ 2012 16. RC 13A/2012 17. RC 16A/2012 18. 154/2010 Addl.City Civil & Sessions Judge, Bengaluru, Addl Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Bangalore Addl CMM Bangalore, Addl Civil Judge & JMFC Ankola, Addl Civil 81 & Sessions Judge Bangalore (Special Court for MPs, MLAs), Pri.Sr.Civil Judge & CJM, Bellari	1. 409 & 420 r/W 120BIPC and Sec 21 R/W 4(1-A), M.M.DR Act- 957 and Sec 165 R/w 144 Karnataka ForestAct 2. PUNISHABL EU/S409 &420 R/W 120B/IPC & Sec 21 and 23 R/w 4(1), 4(1)(A) MMDRAC and Sec 165R 3. 409 & 420 R/w 120B, 21, 23 R/w4(1)&4(1A) 165 R/w144 4. 409,420R/w 120B 21R/W4(1), 4(1-A) 4. US 379,409,420R/w Sec 120B IPC U/S 21R/w sec 4(1), 4(1)(A) MMDRAct 1957 5. U/S 370,409, 420, 468R/w Sec120B (IPC) U/S 21, 23R/w Sec4(1), 4(1)(A) MMDRAct 1957 6. 379,420,120- B, 511 21R/w 4(1-A) 7. 379,409&42 0 R/w 120-B 21,23R/w 4(1)&4(1-A) 165R/w 144 (Karnataka Forest Rules 1969) 8. 120B,379 9. 21R/w 4(1), 4(1-A) 10. 120-B,420, 379,411&447of IPC, U/S 13(2)R/w 13(1)(D) of Prevention of corruption Act 1988 & U/S R/w4(1), 4(1-A) &23 of MMDR Act 1947 & U/S 24 of Karnataka ForestAct 1963 11. 120-B,420, 379,411 &447 of IPC, U/S 13(2)R/w 13(1)(d) of Prevention of Corruption Act 1988 & U/S 21 R/w 4(1),4(1-A) & 23 of MMDR Act 1947 & U/s 24 of Karnataka ForestAct 1963 12. 119 , 120 (B) , 409 , 379 , 465 , 468 , 471 R / W 34,13(1)I,13(1)(d) R/w 13(2) 4(1-A)R/w21(1) 13. U/S 21 Rule 11 of CPC 14. 379,409,420,447,465,471, 120(B) IPD 21,23MMD 15. 21MMDR 44(1) 16. Sec 138 17. 120-B R/w 379,411,420 21 &23 R/w 4(1),4(1-A) 18. U/S323,324 ,448,504,506 R/w34 of IPC 19. Sec 21 & 23 of MMDRAct 20. Sec 379,420,465,468,471,120(B0 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
38	Bellary City	Nara Bharath Reddy	FIR No. 0024/2023,Principal Civil Judge (Jr. Dn) JMFC Court, Bellary. PCR No. 74/2022 Principal Civil Judge (Jr. Dn) JMFC Court, Bellary.	IPC 1860 (U/s--389, 506, 120B, 34) U/s 420, 465, 471, 406 r/w Sec. 114, 182, 191 and 192 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
39	Chitradurga	K C VEERENDRA	0062/ 2023 Pri Civil Judge (JD) & JMFC, Chitradurga, (Pending) 128/23 1stAdd Civil Judge(JD) & JMFC, Chitradurga (Pending)	341,143,147, 149,188,286, 268, 171C, 171E, 188 of IPC, 1860	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
40	Hiriyur	D. Sudhakar	CR No. 119/22 SPL 1111/23, Session Court, Chitradurga, (Pending)	506, 341, 502, 143,149,307, 323 of IPC & Atrocities Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
41	Hosadurga	Govindappa B.G	CC 1622/22, Add Civil Judge (JD) & JMFC, Hosadurga, (Pending)	267of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
42	Holalkere (SC)	Anjaneya H	CC 146/22, 1st Add Civil Judge (JD) & JMFC, Kanakpura, (Pending) CC 194/22, Pri, Civil Judge & JMFC, Kanakpura, (Pending) CC 13/22, City civil & Session Judge Bangalore, (Pending) CC 20/22, City civil & Session Judge Bangalore, (Pending)	Protest, EpidemicAct	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
43	Davanagere North	S.S. Mallikarjun	Cr 72/22, 3rd Add Civil Judge & JMFC, Davanagere, (Pending)	171E of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
44	Davanagere South	Shamanur Shivashankrappa	CR No 72/2023 3rd Add civil judge & JMFC Davanagere, (Pending)	171E of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
45	Mayakonda (SC)	K.S. Basavaraju	9/2023, 3rd Add Civil Judge & JMFC, Davanagere, (Pending)	66E of IT act 2000	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
46	Channagiri	Basavaraju V. Shivaganga	CR No 187/2021, CR No 105/2020, CR No 1349/21, FIR No 66/19 CC No 3/20 (Pending)	448,323,504, 506,149,143, 147,341 of IPC Atrocities act 1989	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
47	Honnali	D.G. Shanthana Gowda	192/2022 JMFC Honalli, (Pending) 33/2023 Thasildar court Honalli, (Pending)	143,147,323, 307,504,506, 149 of IPC 107 of CRPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
48	Bhadravati	Sangameshwara B.K	CR No. 25/21, 2nd Add Civil Judge & JMFC, Shivamogga, (Pending) CR No. 26/21, 2nd Add Civil Judge & JMFC, Shivamogga, (Pending) CC 74/2010, SPL CC 828/2018, City civil & session judge Bangalore, (Pending) SPL CC 1295/21, City civil & session judge Bangalore, (Pending)	143,147,323, 504,506,149 of IPC & 3(1)(R),3(1)(S), 3(2), 5a SC-ST act 323,504,506 of IPC 307,326 of IPC 171H of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
49	Shimogga	H.C. Yogesh	CC 115/19 4th Add Civil & JMFC Shimogga, (Pending)	188 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
50	Tirthahalli	Kimmane Rathnakar	CC 30775/21 42 ACMM Bangalore, (Pending)	499-500 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
51	Sorab	S. Madhu Bangarappa	CC 146/22 JMFC Kanakapura, (Pending) CC 33569/22 42 nd ADD CMFC (Pending)	141,143,290, 336,149 of IPC & 5(3A) of KED act 138 of NI act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
52	Byndoor	K. GOPAL POOJARY	10th ACMM Mayo Hall, Bangalore CC 51076/23 1st addl Civil JMFC UDUPI CC 351/22	Sec. 337, 338, 304(A) & 34 of IPC Sec. 188, 268, 149 of IPC Sec. 5(1) 5(4) KED ACT 2020	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
53	UDUPI	Prasad Raj Kanchan	53/1023 of Udupi town police station	Section 3 of K.O.P>D ACT 1951 and section 171 H of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
54	Kadur	Anand K.S	Civil Judge Court Kadur FIR NO- 188/2019 240/2022	1. U/s-353,427,504,506,143, 147,149,of IPC & U/s 3PDPPACT 2. 143,353,342, 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
55	Chikkanayakana halli	K R Kiran kumar	Addl. Civil judge & JMFC court, CN halli CR no:35/2017	Section:336,304(A),36 of IPC. Alleged offences fpr negligent act of institution run by the candidate.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

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56	Kunigal	Ranganath H D	1. Principal civil judge & JMFC, Kunigal. FIR no: 0189/2021 2. JMFC-9 ernakulam. FIR no:201/ 2004 3. Nil 4. Nil 5. Nil 6. Nil 7. Principal civil judge & JMFC Kanakapura, ramanagar. FIR no: 0001/2022 Civil judge (Jr) & JMFC court, Kanakapura, Ramanagar. FIR no: 0002/2022	1. Section 5(4) of KED & Section 143, 149 of IPC.Violation of Covid Protocol. 2 Section 406, 420 & 34 of IPC. Criminal breach of trust & fraud. 3 Section 171-E of IPC. Allegation of bribery. 4 Section171-E of IPC. Allegation of bribery. 5 Section 171-E of IPC.Allegation of bribery. 6 Section 171-E of IPC. Allegation of bribery. 7 U/s 5(3A) of KED act & U/s 141, 143, 290, 336, R/w 149 IPC. U/s 5(3A) of KED act & U/s 141, 143, 290, 336, R/w 149 IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
57	Koratagere (SC)	Dr G Parameshwara	1 1st civil judge Jr & JMFC court, kanakapura. FIR no:0001/2022. 2 42th ACMM (mp,mla) court, Karnataka. PCR:54122/2022. CC:25317/2022. 3 2nd addl. ACMM court. FIR: 0149/20222	1. Section 141, 143, 290, 336, 149. Section 427, 143, 147, 149, 188, 290. 2 Section 141, 143, 290, 336, 149. Section 427, 143, 147, 149, 188, 290. 3 Section 141, 143, 290, 336, 149. Section 427, 143, 147, 149, 188, 290.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
58	Sira	T B Jayachandra	1 42nd ACMM (MLA & MP Special court).FIR :5122/2022. 2 42nd ACMM (MLA & MP Special court).0012/2022. 3 PRL civil judge & JMFC, Kanakapura. FIR:001/2022 4 1st addl.Civil judge & JMFC Kanakapura.FIR:001/2022 5 1st addl. Civil judge & JMFC Kanakapura. FIR:002/2022 42nd ACMM,Bengaluru. PCR : 6781/2016	1 Section 188 of IPC. National herald ED protest case. 2 Section 5(3A), 143, 149, 290, 336,141, of KED act. (Mekedatu Padayathre). 3 Section 141, 143, 290, 336,R/w 149 of IPC. & Section 5(3A) of KED act 2020.(Mekedatu Padayathre). 4 Section 141, 143, 290, 336,R/w 149 of IPC. & Section 5(3A) of KED act 2020. (Mekedatu Padayathre). 5 Section 141, 143, 290, 336,R/w 149 of IPC. & Section 5(3A) of KED act 2020. (Mekedatu Padayathre). Section 500 of IPC. (Defamation)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
59	Gowribidanur	N H Shivashankar Reddy	City civil court & District court Bengaluru. FIR:485/2019.	506 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
60	Chikkaballapura	Pradeep Eshwar Ayyar	1. Principal Senior civil judge Chikkaballapura. FIR:193/2018. Principal Senior civil judge Chikkaballapura. FIR:37/2023	1 Section 353 & 341 of IPC. (uses criminal force on public servant) 2 171F of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
61	Sidlaghatta	B V Rajeev Gowda	1 2nd addl. District & Sessions judge,Bengaluru rural district. FIR:176/2018 2 1st addl. Chief judicial magistrate, bengaluru rural district. FIR:51/ 2018. 3 1st addl. Chief judicial magistrate, bengaluru rural district. FIR:324 /2019. 4 33 addl. Chief metropolitan magistrate. Bangalore city. FIR:20/2023. 5 33 addl. Chief metropolitan magistrate. Bangalore city. FIR:09/2022. 6 33 addl. Chief metropolitan magistrate. Bangalore city. FIR:114/2022. 7 Chief metropolitan magistrate. Bangalore city.FIR:35/2023. 8 Principal civil judge Sr & CJM Court sidlaghatta. FIR: 37/2023. 9 Addl. District & sessions court, Chikkaballapura.FIR:11 4/2022 10 Principal civil judge Sr & CJM Court sidlaghatta. FIR: 35/2023. 11 Principal civil judge Sr & CJM Court sidlaghatta. FIR: 37/2023	1 Section 447, 504, 506 & 182 IPC & Sections 3(1), 3(1)(g), & 3(1)(s) of the SC ST act. 2 Sections 506, 341, 324 & 34 of IPC. 3 Sections 143, 147, 148, 447, 427, 323, 504, 506, 324, 149 of IPC. 4 Sections 406, 417, 420, 465, 468, 120B & 34 of IPC. 5 Sections 138 of Negotiable instrument act. 6 Sections 138 of Negotiable instrument act. 7 Sections 138 of Negotiable instrument act. 8 U/s-143, 188,269, 149 of IPC & U/s 4(2)(a) of KED act. 9 U/s 323, 354, 504, 506, 120B, 34 of IPC & U/s 3(1)(r), 3(1)(s) of the SC ST. 10 U/s 127A of representation of people act. 11 U/s 171(E) of representation of people act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
62	Mulbagal	V Adinarayana	1 pri civil judge & JMFC court, Doddaballapura.FIR no:56/2019 2 civil judge & JMFC court, Devanahalli. FIR no: 66/2019	1. Section 506, 406, 420 of IPC. Section 200 cr PC 465,467, 420,468,471, 470,477A, 193,204,209, 211,506,511, 120B,384 r/w 34 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
63	KGF	Roopakala M	1st addl. Civil judge & JMFC court, Bengaluru. FIR no: 125/2023	Section 3 & 7 of essential commodities act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
64	Bangarpet	S N Narayana swamy KN	Court – Bangarpet police station . FIR no 0310/2021	IPC 1860(U/s-171 G) RP act. 1951 & 1988 (U/s-133) Violation of code of conduct during MLC election.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
65	Malur	K Y Nanjegowda	1 x11 ACMM bengaluru.FIR no: 489/2022. 2 Addl. Civil judge (Jr Dn) & JMFC malur. FIR no:109/2021 3 Antiland grabbing special court, bangaluru. x11 ACMM bengaluru. FIR no:12/2020	1 Sections 468, 646,465, 471(b), 420 & 120-B of IPC. 2 Sections 30 of Indian arms act 1959. 3 Section 192 (A) of land revenue act & sections 420, 471, 468 & 465. Sections 143, 149, 290, 336, 141, of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
66	YELAHANKA	KESHAV RAJANNA	FIR NO 0024/2019 CC NO 54316/2020 ACMM CC NO 55538/2019 ACMM	IPC 1860. UNDER SEC 427,506,147, 143,149,504, 323,447,341, 323,448,109, 427,504,34	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
67	BYATARAYANPURA	KRISHNA BYRE GOWDA	CC NO 146/2022 ACM & JFC KANAKPURA NIL STATUS CCNO 8717/2022 42 ND ACMM BANGLORE NIL STATUS	UNDER SEC 5(3A) OF KARNATAKA EPIDEMIC DISEASES ACT 2020 SEC 141,143,290, 336 R/W149 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
68	YESHWANTPURA	S BALRAJ GOWDA	CCNO 2044 5/21 CCIVIL COURT LOKAYUKTHA COURT 534/13 105/18	Lokayukta Case	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
69	RR NAGAR	KUSUMA	CCNO 0002/2022 CCNO 146/2022 ACJ & JMFC KANAKPURA CCNO 194/2022 PRL CIVIL JUDGE KANAKAPURA CCNO 871/2022 42ND ACMM BANGLORE	SEC 141,143, 290, 336,149 OF IPC SEC 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC KARNATAKA EPIDEMIC DISEASE ACT	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
70	MAHALAKSHMI LAYOUT	KESHAV MURTHY	FIR No. 14/2020 PCR NO.673/2020 ACMM,BANGLORE	UNDER SEC 420, 465, 466, 468, 470 AND 471 OF IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
71	MALLESHWARAM	ANOOPİYENGAR	CCNo. 33061/2022 CMM, CCNO7042/2023 CMM, CIVIL CCNo EX-12/2023	IPC 337,338,R/W 34 IPC 341,143,149, 283 IPC143,149,238	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
72	HEBBAL	SURESH B S	CRIME No-0078/2019 CCNO5690 2/2019A CMM	SEC 285 AND 336 OF IPC SEC 427,143,147, 149,188,290	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
73	SARVAGNANAGAR	K J GEORGE	CCNo 25317 ACCUSED NO 4 42 ND ACMM (SPL COURT TO DEAL WITH CRIMINAL CASES RELATED TO MP'S, MLA'S TRIABLE BY MEGISTRATE IN STATE OF KARNATAKA CC-6231/2022 ACCUSED NO 13 FIRST ADDNL CIVIL JUDGE (JUNIOR DIVISION) & JMFC COURT RAMANAGARADISTRICT CC9/2018 SUPREME COURT OF INDIA	141,143,290,336,149 OF IPC & SEC 5(3A) KED ACT 2020.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	

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74	SHIVAJINAGAR	RIZWAN HARSHAD	CCNo 146/2022 ACJ&JMFC CCNo 194/2022 PCJ&JMFC CCNo 3169/2022 ACMM CCNo 25317 42ND ACMM	SEC 141,143,290,336 OF IPC SEC 141,143,290, 336 OF IPC SEC 188 OF IPC SEC 188 OF IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
75	SHANTHINAGAR	NA HARIS	CRIME No 149/2022 02 ACMM CCNo 146/2022 1ST ACMM CCNO194/2022 PCC&JMFC KANAKPURA	U/S 103 OF KARNATAKA POLICE ACT 427,143,147,149, 188,290 OF IPC U/S 141,143,290,336 R/W 149&5(3A) KED ACT 2020 U/S 141,143,290,336,R/W 149 IPC &5(3A) KED ACT 202	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
76	GOVINDRAJ NAGAR	PRIYAKRISHNA	CCNo 146/2022 ACJ&JMFC KANAKPURA	141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
77	CHAMRAJPETE	B Z ZAMEER AHMED KHAN	CCNO160/2015 PCJ&JMFC SAVANUR CCNO160/2 015 CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC CRIME No 27/2022 ACMM CRIME No 39/2022 OA NO527/2021	IPC 1860 U/S 279,337,338,304A IPC U/S 503, 354, 468, 427,441,447,323,420,498, 268, 424, 506, 120B, 34IPC U/S 13(1)(b)r/w13 (2) PREVENTION OF CORRUPTIONACT PREVENTION OF MONEY LAUNDERING ACT	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
78	BTM LAYOUT	RAMALINGA REDDY	CC145/2022 ACJ&JMFC C3169/2022 42ND ACMM CC6231/2023 42ND ACMM CC6231/2023 42 ND ACMM CRIME NO 149/2022	Under Sec 141,143,290, 336R/W149 of IPC And 5(3)A of Karnataka Epidemic Disease Act Under Sec 51(B) Disaster Managemnt Act 188 IPC Under Sec 141,143,290, 336,149 of IPC & sec 5(3)a KED Act Under Sec 103 KP Act 1963 and Prevention of Damage to Public Property 1984	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
79	JAYNAGARA	SOUMYA REDDY	CRNo 0070/2023 ACMM CC 145/2022 ACJ & JMFC CC 25317/2022 42ND ACMM CRNo -149/2022 2ND ACMM CRNo 339/2023 42ND ACMM CRNo 135/2018 ACMM	U/S 341,504,506, 34 OF IPC U/S141,143,290,336R/W149 OF IPC U/S103 OF KARNATAKA POLICE ACT 1963 U/S 504,323,353 OF IPC U/S127A OF RPACT 1951	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
80	MAHADEVPURA	H NAGESH	CCNO18049/2018 42 ND ACMM	14,32,38A, AND 43 OF KARNATAKA EXERCISE ACT	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
81	BOMMANAHALLI	UMAPATHY SRINIVAS GOWDA	CRIME No 130 /2023 ACMMC BANGLORE	SEC 171E OF INDIAN PENAL CODE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
82	VIJAYANAGAR	M KRISHNAPPA	PCR14506 of 2022 IN THE COURT OF XL11 additional chief metro Politian magistrate Bengaluru, Division. After dismissal of the PCR NO 14506 of 2022 complaint has filed criminal petition No.11743/2022 Before Honourable High Court of Karnataka Only Notice issued.	Sec 405,415, 420, 425,467,468, 471,474,504 & 506 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
83	BANGALORE SOUTH	R K RAMESH	CC 942/2022 CJMC CC 794/2021 CJMC CCNo 28277/2021 CRNO- 139/2022 CJMC CCNO 70/2012 Civil Judge Anekal	IPC 427,447,504,506 IPC 504,506,R/W 34 OF IPC Sec 138 And 142 of Negotiable Instrument Act Sec 143,147,427, 186,189,353, 341,504,506, and IPC 149	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
84	ANEKAL	B SHIVANNA	CC no 7793/2021 Prt.civil judge and JMFC NIL	IPC sec 188,269,270 Sec144(3) of crpc Sec 51b if Disaster Management act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
85	HOSKOTE	SHARATH KUMR BACHE GOWDA	CCNo 1347/2019PCJ & JMFC CCNo 160/2021 PCJ & JMFC CCNo 10277/2022 PCJ & JMFC 146/2022 1st Civil Judge & JMFC	IPC1860 U/S 427,143,147, 149,188,332,353,354 IPC1860 U/S 341,143,147, 149,188,353 IPC1860 U/S 341,143,147,149,283, 141,143,290, 336, R/W149 & 5(3A) KED ACT 2020	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
86	DEVANAHALLI	K H MUNIYAPPA	CCNo 95/2013 ASCJ & CJM CAPITAL COURT	IPC 1860 U/S 323,341,54, 506,34 OF SC/ST Prevention of Atrocities Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
87	DODDA BALLAPURA	T VENKATARAMANIAH	CCNo 6231/2023 ACMM	U/S 5(3A) OF KED ACT. 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
88	MAGADI	H C BALAKRISHNA	CCNo 30762/21 42 ND ACMM CCNo 934/2018 JrDn & JMFC	U/S 341,353,504, 506,R/w 149 OF IPC 171(e) of Karnataka Exercise Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
89	RAMNAGARA	H A IQBAL HUSSAIN	CCNO 6231/2023A CMM CCNO 94/2007 CJ & JMFC CCNO1531/2019ACJ & JMFC CCNO 939/2018 ACJ & JMFC CCNO 8717/2022 CMCC	SEC 141,143,291, 336,149 Sec 5(3A) Epidemic Disease Act Under Kamataka Forest Act 1963 Sec 24(7)(g)(gg)(h)(2) IPC U/S 171H RPACT 1950,1951,1989. IPC U/S 171C(B),171 F,34,75JJ CPCACT. IPC 5(3A),143,149, 290, 336,141	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
90	KANAKAPURA	D K SHIVAKUMAR	FIR NO147/2023 JMFC FIR NO 0149/2022 ACMCC CCNO 6231/2023 ACMM CCNO 8717/2022 ACMM CCNO 194/2022 JrDn&JMFC CCNO 145/2022 1st ACJ & JMFC CCNO 146/2022 1st ACJ & JMFC CCNO 1663/2022 1st ACJ & JMFC CCNO 2531 7/2022 ACMM CCNO 32628/2021 ACMM. CCNO 3169/2022 ACMM. CBI/ACB/BLR/RC10(A)/2020. ECIR/18/HIU/2020 CCNO-CT/17/2022 ASJ. SPL CC286/2018 ACC&SJ. SPL CC285/2018 ACC&SJ SPL CC287/2018 ACC&SJ SPL CC759/2018 ACMM CRNO.26/2012 ACCJ.	UNDER 171E OF IPC. U/S 427,143,147, 149,188,290 OF IPC. U/S 5(3A) KED ACT 2020. U/S 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC. U/S 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC. U/S 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC. U/S 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC. UNDER KED ACT AND SEC 75 OF JUVENILE JUSTICE ACT 2015. U/S 188 OF IPC AND 31 R/W 103 PF KPACT. U/S 51(b) OF DMACT 2005 AND 269 OF IPC. U/S 51(b) NDMACT 2005 & 188 OF IPC. U/S 13(2) R/W. SEC13 (1)(e) OF PREVENTION OF CORRUPTIONACT. PREVENTION OF MONEY LAUNDERING ACT 2002. U/S 3 AND 4 PML act 2002. U/S 276C(1) OF ITACT 1961 AND 201 AND 204 OF IPC. U/S 141,143,290, 336,149 OF IPC. U/S 276C(1) OF ITACT 1961 AND SEC 201 & 204 OF IPC. U/S 276C(1) OF ITACT 1961 AND SEC 201 & 204 OF IPC. U/S 276C(1),277 OF IT ACT 1961 AND SEC 193 AND 199 R/W SEC 120B OF IPC. SEC 13(1)(C),13(1)(e)(r) & 13(2) OF PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION ACT,SEC 120(B),169,177,417,419,465, & 468 OF IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
91	CHANNAPATANA	GANGADAR S	CCNO 1023/2018	171E,511 OF IPC,98 KPACT	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
92	MADDUR	UDAY K M	1 Metropolitan magistrate (traffic court), court Bengaluru. CR no:0079/2020. 2 7th CMM court, Bengaluru. CR no: 0300/2018. 7th CMM court, Bengaluru. CR no:0202/2017	1 section 79,80 of police act. Section 34 of excise act. 2 Sections 504, 506(B), 418, 34 & sections 25(1)(a) of Indian arms act. Sections 420, 468, 471 of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

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93	Mandya	P RAVI KUMAR	1 1st addl. Chief metropolitan magistrate, Bengaluru. FIR no: 32/2013. 2 1st ACMM, Bengaluru.FIR no:788/2021. 3 Prl Sr civil judge & JMFC Ranebennur. CC no: 166/2020. 4 Prl civil judge & JMFC court, Srirangapatna. CC no: 58/2013. 5 Chief metropolitan magistrate New Dehli. CC no: 2343/2020. 6 Chief metropolitan magistrate New Dehli. CC no:11697/2018. Judicial magistrate, Gurugram. NACT /17214/2019	1 IPC sections 143, 109, 341, 323, 504, R/w 149. 2 IPC sections 506, 509, 499, 500. 3 IPC sections 499, 500. 4 IPC sections 143, 353, 149. 5 138 of negotiable instrument act. 6 138 of negotiable instrument act. 138 of negotiable instrument act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
94	Holenarasipura	SHREYAS M PATIL	Assistant forest conservator officer, subramanya sub-division, DK. FC no:2/2014-15.	24(D),(E) & 104(A) of Karnataka forest act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
95	Arkalgud	H P SRIDHAR GOWDA	1 2nd addl. JMFC court. mysuru. CR no: 0107/2022 2 45th addl. CMM court, Bengaluru. CR no: 0124/2019	1 420, 34 of IPC 506,504, 143, 149, 447 of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
96	Moodabidri	MITHUN M RAI	JMFC 2nd Court at Mangalore FIR-196/2018, JMFC 2nd Court at Mangalore 34/2022	1-U/s 143,147,341,323,504,506,149 of IPC 2-U/s 143,147,290,R/W 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
97	Mangalore	U T KHADER FAREED	1 Addl.chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court, (Spl. Court) Bangalore iPCR. No.54122/0222 2 Addl. Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore CR. No. 20/0222 3 Addl. Civil. Judge & JMFC, Kanakapura cr. No.1/2022	i) Section 31 & 103 of KP Act and Section 188 of IPC ii) Section 5(3A) of KED Act and Section 74 L, 143,290, 336 R/w 149 of IPC iii) Section 141, 143, 290, 336 R/w 149 of IPC & 5(3A) of KED Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
98	Bantwal	RAMANATHA RAI B	Chief ACJ & JMFC Court Bantwala FIR NO- 16/2019	U/s 171(E) 511 of IPC & 34	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
99	Puttur	ASHOK KUMAR RAI	2nd addl JMFC Mangalore FIR -02/2023	Sec- 341,354, 427, 109, R/W 34 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
100	Krishnarajanagara	D RAVISHANKAR	Addl. Civil judge & JMFC court, KR Nagara. CR No:52/2022	Sections 143, 341, 504, 506, 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
101	Hunsur	H P MANJUNATH	1 Principal civil judge & JMFC court, Kanakapura. FIR No : 0001/2022. 2 6th addl. Civil judge & JMFC court, Mysuru City. FIR No: 0076/2019	1 Sections 141, 143, 290, 336, 149, of IPC & 5(3A) KED act. 2 Sections 504, 506, 448 of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
102	Heggada devanakote	ANILKUMAR C	1 Principal civil judge & JMFC court, Kanakapura. FIR No: 0001/2022. Transfer to Chief Metropolitan Magistrate Court Bengaluru. FIR No:0271/2019	1 Sections 141, 143, 290, 336, 149 of IPC & KED act 5(3a). 2 Sections 353, 149, 147, 143, 188 of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
103	Nanjangud	DARSHANDRUVA NARAYANA	2nd ACJ & JMFC court Nanjangud. FIR No: 0039/2023.	U/s-171E, 171B of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
104	Chamundeshwari	S SIDDEGOWDA	1 2nd JMFC court Mysuru. FIR No: 0046/2023. 2 5th JMFC court, Mysuru city. FIR No: 0064/2023 3 2nd JMFC court Mysore city. FIR No: 0113/2021	1 U/s 171H,188 of IPC 2 U/s 3,6,7 of religious institutions. 3 U/s 324, 504, 506, 34 of IPC.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
105	Krishnaraja	M K SOMASHEKARA	1 4th JMFC court, Mysore. FIR No: 1116/2020. 2 3rd JMFC court, Mysore. FIR No: 22/2019.	1 Sections 171-H 188 of IPC. 2 188 of IPC. 109 of KP act. 177 of MV act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
106	Narasimharaja	TANVEER SAIT	Prl civil judge (Jr Dn)& JMFC court, Kanakapura. FIR:0001/2022	IPC 1860 U/s 141, 143, 290, 336. 149 of IPC & 5(3A) of KED act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
107	Varuna	SIDDARAMAIAH	1 1st addl. Civil judge (JrDn) & JMFC court, Kanakapura. FIR No: 01/2022 2 Prl civil judge & JMFC court, Kanakapura. FIR no:01/2022 3 42nd ACMM (Spl,court for MP and MLA) Karnataka. FIR no:20/2022 4 42nd ACMM (Spl,court for MP and MLA) Karnataka FIR No:13/2022 5 Under Investigation by CID. FIR No:84/2007 6 Under Investigation by CID. FIR No:85/2007 7 Under Investigation by CID. FIR No:86/2007 8 Under Investigation by CID. FIR No:88/2007 9 Under Investigation. FIR No: 89/2007 10 Under Investigation by CID. FIR No:68/2023 11 Charge sheet submitted (pending for CC Number). FIR No:54/2022 12 Under Investigation. FIR No:149/2022 13 Under Investigation 263/2022	1 Sections 141, 143, 290, 336, 149, PC Zho 5(3a), KED act. 2 Sections 141, 143, 290, 336, 149, PC Zho 5 3a), KED act. 3 141, 143, 290, 336, 149, of IPC. 4 143,149,190, 336, 141,IPC section 5(3A) KED act. 5 143, 144,147,148, 341,427,435, 109 R/w IPC section 2 of Karnataka public property dis-figurement act. 6 143, 144,147,148, 341,427,435, 109 R/w IPC section 2 of Karnataka public property dis-figurement act. 7 143, 144,147,148, 341,427,435, 109 R/w IPC section 2 of Karnataka public property dis-figurement act. 8 143, 144,147,148, 341,427,435, 109 IPC section 2 of Karnataka public property dis-figurement act. 9 143, 144,147,148, 341,427,435, 109 IPC section 2 of Karnataka public property dis-figurement act. 10 171E of IPC 11 143,341, IPC with 103 KP act. 12 103 KOPD act 427,143, 147, 149, 188, 290, of IPC. 13 171(c) & (F) IPC r/w 123 RP act 1951.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
108	T Narasipura	H C MAHADEVAPPA	1 Prl civil judge & JMFC, Kanakapura. FIR No:0001/2022. 2 2nd addl. CMM court. Bengaluru city. FIR No: 0149/2022.	1 IPC 1860(U/s141, 143, 290, 336,149.KED act 2020 5(3A). 2 KP act 103, IPC sec 427, 143,147, 149, 188, 290.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
109	Hanur	R NARENDRA	Chief Civil Judge Court & JMFC Court, Kanakapura. FIR No: 002/2022	Sections 141, 143, 290, 336, 149 of IPC & section 5(3a) of KED act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
110	Chamarajanagara	C PUTTARANGASHETTY	1 1st addl. Civil Judge Court & JMFC Court, Kanakapura. FIR No: 0002/2022. 2 42nd addl. ACCM Spl & court, Bengalore.FIR No: 0013/2022	1 IPC sec 141, 143, 290, 336, R/w 149 of IPC & 5(3a) KED act. 2 IPC sec 141, 143, 290, 336, R/w 149 of IPC & 5(3a) KED act.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
111	Bailhongal	Mahantesh Shivanand Koujalagi	Addl JMFC Bailhongl Case No. and Dated : 0035/23 04.04.2023	U/s 171/E of IPC 1860 . Brief Facts On 04.04.2023, 150 half T-Shirts Seized from the House of accused No-2 and further alleged that Mahantesh Shivanand Koujalagi with intention to contest assembly election. He has printed his photo on front side of the T-Shirt and Congress party Symbol on back side. Same are handed over to accused No-2 for distribution in the village.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
112	Kapu	Vinay Kumar Sorke	0005/2022 1st additional Judge (Jr-Dr) JMFC Court, Udupi	IPC - U/s 269, 149	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
113	Bhatkal	Mankal Vaidya	KFA 1963 sec 64 A Forest Court Sirsi	120/2010-11 15-12-2010,	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
114	Jamkhandi	Anand Siddu Nyamagouda	Earlier CC No. 3095/2021 Filed by SBI at Principal Civil Judge and JMFC, Jamkhandi transferred to Bangalore and renumbered CC No. 15686/2022	Section 138 of INI Act 1881 Principal Civil Judge and JMFC, Jamkhandi	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
115	Gubbi	S R Srinivas	0114/2023	IPC 1860 (U/s -171H)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
116	Sindagi	Ashok Mallappa Managuli	187/2021 JMFC Sindagi	IPC sec. 188, 269, 270	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
117	Bijapur City	Abdul Hameed Kajasaheb Mushrif	17487/2021 Addl. Civil Court and JMFC Vijayapura	Sec 188, 269, 283 R/w 34 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	
118	Athani	Lakshman Sangappa Savadi	Earlier CC No. 3095/2021 Pr. Civil Judge and JMFC Jamkhandi and transferred to 42nd ACMM Court, Bangalore and renumbered as CC No. 15686/2022	Sec 132 and 142 of INI Act 1881	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	

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Declaration about criminal antecedents of Candidates set up by the party;
(As per the judgement dated 25th September 2018 of Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP(CIVIL) No.536 of 2011) Public Interest Foundation & ors. –Vs- Union of India & Another.
Name of Political Party : **JANATA DAL (SECULAR)**
*Name of the Election: **KARNATAKA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS 2023**
Name of State/UT: **KARNATAKA**

Sl. No.	Name of constituency	Name of candidate	(A) Pending criminal cases		(B)Details about cases of conviction for criminal offences		
			Name of Court, case No. & status of the case(s)	Sections of the Acts concerned & brief description of offence(s)	Name of Court & date(s) of order(s)	Description of offence(s) & punishment imposed	Maximum Punishment imposed
1.	MAGADI	A. MANJUNATH	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C., MAGADI C.C.No. 733/2021	U/SEC 143, 147, 160, 353, 324, 504 R/W 149	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
2.	DAVANAGERE SOUTH	Amanulla Khan	J. M.F.C., III, DAVANAGERE, CR.No. 144/2017 C.C.No. 1149/2018	U/sec 143, 147,341, 283,145, r/w 149 of IPC	yes 15-11-2017	NOT APPLICABLE	NOT APPLICABLE
3.	DAVANAGERE SOUTH	Amanulla Khan	J.M.F.C., III, DAVANAGERE, CR No. 106/2021 Accused A-3 Amanula khan	U/sec 406,420 r/w 34 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
4	INDI	B. D. Patil	Honourable Court of Addl. Civil Judge(Jr.Dn) & JMFC Court,Indi, Bijapur Dist. Crime No : 0095/2021	IPC1860 (U/s- 143, 147,188,342,149); National Highway Authority Act 1956 (U/s-8(B))	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
5	Chikkamagaluru	B.M.Thimmasetty	Additional Metropolitan Magistrate Court CC No-7819/2016	IPC Sec 406,420	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
6	KOLAR	C. R SRINATH	1st Additional Civil Judge and JFMC Court Kolar.	IPC 1860 (U/S-171 E, 171H)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
7	KOLAR	C. R SRINATH	1st Additional Civil Judge and JFMC Court Kolar.	RPE ACT-1950, 1951,1989, (U/S-123(1)) IPC 1860(U/S-34)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
8	Melukote	C S Puttaraju	IN THE COURT OF LXXI ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE BANGALORE (CCB – 82) SPL CASE. NO 577 / 2021 Framing of charges	SECTION 120 – B r/w 406, 409,420 OF IPC & SECTION 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (c) & (d) OF PC ACT 1988	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
9	Tumkuru Rural	D.C. Gowrishankar	Kyathsandra PS CR No 128/2020 CR No 282/2022	U/S 120(b), 420, 406, 409, 465, 468, 471 Of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
10	PUTTURU	DIVYA PRABHA	Honorable Court of Addl. Civil Judge(Jr.Dn) & JMFC Court,Sullia, Dakshina kannada CRIME NO:0100/2022	IPC 1860(U/S-323,363,34)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
11	PUTTURU	DIVYA PRABHA	PUTTENAHALLI PS BANGALORE CRIME NO:0032/2023	IPC 1860 (U/S-34, 120B, 465, 323, 342, 468)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
12	HEBBAL	Dr. Syed Mohid Altaf	Crime No : 0067/2023	21/03/2023 on this day panchayatna program distribution of food kit	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
13	HEBBAL	Dr. Syed Mohid Altaf	0108/2023	5/04/2023 on my Twitter account posted one old post in that I have paid college fees	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
14	HUNSUR	G D HARISH	3rd Additional Sessions Judge, Mysore Final Report not filed yet to Court. CR.No.10/2017 Dt.18/12/2017	Section 8,13(1) (C) R/w section 13(2) Prevention of corruption Act. And, Section 420, 120B R/w Section 34 of Indian Penal code.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
15	Channapatna	H. D. Kumar-swamy	XXIII Addl City Civil And Session Judge (CCH-24) Spl. CC No 47/2012	U/s 13(1kc) & 13(1)(d) r/w 13(2) Of Prevention Of Corruption Act And U/s 465 Of Indian Penal Code	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
16	Channapatna	H. D. Kumar-swamy	Hon Supreme Court	Under Investigation Of SIT / Lokayuktha	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
17	Channapatna	H. D. Kumar-swamy	PCR No 27/2011(Crime No 63/2011	U/s 204, 405, 406, 463, 465, 468, 471 r/w 423 & 120(b), 13(1)(d) & 21, 23 r/w 4(1), 4(IA) Of MMDR Act , And 104 & 104(c)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
18	Channapatna	H. D. Kumar-swamy	Crime No 16/2014 Of SIT	U/s 420, 465, 467, 468, r/w 120(b) & 511 Of IPC 13(2) r/w 13(1) (d), 21(2) & 23 Of MMDR Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

19	Channapatna	H. D. Kumar-swamy	PCR No 9/2012 Crime No 60/2012	U/s 406, 420, 463, 465, 468, 471 Of IPC 13(1)(c), 13(1) (d), 13(2) Of PC Act & 3 & 4 Of Karnataka Land Restriction And Transfer Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
20	Channapatna	H. D. Kumar-swamy	Crime No 27/2015	U/s 409, 418, 420, 120(b) r/w 34 Of IPC 13(1)(c), 13(1)(d), 13(2) Of PC Act 3 & 4 Karnataka Land Restriction And Transfer Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
21	Yeshwanthpur	T N JAVARAYI GOWDA	5th ACMM C.C-8089/2021 LOK ADALATH	U/s 447,341,504,506 & 34 of IPC CRIMINAL OFFENCE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
22	Yeshwanthpur	T N JAVARAYI GOWDA	39TH ACMM C.C-1763/2019 Hearing Before Charge (HBC)	U/s 269,278,431 & 34 of IPC CRIMINAL OFFENCE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
23	Yeshwanthpur	T N JAVARAYI GOWDA	39thACMM C.C-10705/2011 Hearing	U/s 193,465, 468,471,201 read with 120B of IPC CRIMINAL OFFENCE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
24	Hadagali	K.Putresh	Hadagali PS Gunne No: 16/2023 Crime.Mis.Pet. No.5094/2023	Sec 354,504,506, R/W 34	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
25	BELUR	LINGESH K.S	BELUR PS CRIME NO:0098/2023	IPC 1860(U/S-468, 464, 465, 471,409, 420,120B)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
26	K.R.Pete	Manjunath H.T	Mandya West PS CC No/940-941/2012	Crusher Related Strike	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
27	K.R.Pete	Manjunath H.T	K.R.Pete Town PS CC No/198/2018	Mobs Riot @ Halahalli Village	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
28	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.1789/2022	Sec.143, 147, 283, 341, 186, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
29	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.39/2021	Sec.143, 147, 341, 269, 270, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
30	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.40/2021	Sec.143, 341, 269, 270, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
31	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.347/2021	Sec.143, 341, 504, 506, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
32	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.3/2021	Sec.143, 341, 269, 270, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
33	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.41/2021	Sec.143, 341, 269, 270, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
34	Devadurga	Karemma	Civil & JMFC Devadurga, C.C.No.43/2021	Sec.143, 269, 270, R/w 149 of IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
35	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE COURT, BENGALURU CR NO. - 18/2017	U/SEC 353,504, 506	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
36	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE COURT, BENGALURU CC NO. - 1359/2021	U/SEC 506, 504 r/w 34 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
37	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE COURT, BENGALURU CC NO. - 1360/2021	U/SEC 269 IPC sec 51(b)of DM Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
38	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE COURT, BENGALURU CC NO. - 1361/2021	U/SEC 504 r/w 34 IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
39	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE COURT, BENGALURU CC NO. - 1362/2021	U/SEC 269 IPC sec 51(b)of DM Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
40	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	PEOPLE'S REPRESENTATIVE COURT, BENGALURU CC NO. - 1363/2021	U/SEC 269 IPC sec 51(b)of DM Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
41	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	GUBBI CIVIL COURT CC NO. - 2845/2021	U/SEC 51(b) of DM Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
42	TURUVEKERE	M.T. Krishnappa	GUBBI CIVIL COURT CC NO. - 1480/2022	U/SEC 51 (b) of DM Act	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
43	MUDIGERE	M.P. KUMARSWAMY	XLII ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE C.C. NO. 33240/2021	U/SEC 389, 148, 309, 138, 138(1)	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRISONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF ENTIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
44	MUDIGERE	M.P. KUMARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33252/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRISONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF ENTIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA

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45	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33476/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGA-LORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRIS-ONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF ENTIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
46	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33469/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGA-LORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRIS-ONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF ENTIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
47	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33472/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGA-LORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRIS-ONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF ENTIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
48	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33255/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGA-LORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRIS-ONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF EN-TIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
49	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33479/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGA-LORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRIS-ONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF EN-TIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
50	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CC.NO. 33245/2021	U/SEC 138/ NI ACT CHECK BOUNCE CASE	42ND ACMM, BANGA-LORE 13/2/2023	DEFAULT IMPRIS-ONMENT OF 6 MONTHS IN CASE OF ENTIRE FINE AMOUNT IS NOT PAID	NA
51	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE CRI.MISS.NO. 483/2022	U/SEC 125 OF CRPC	PENDING	NA	NA
52	MUDIGERE	M.P. KU-MARSWAMY	42ND ACMM, BANGALORE MFA 69/2023	UNDER FAM-ILY COURT ACT 19(1), FAMILY COURT ACT (49)	PENDING	NA	NA
53	BANGARPETE	MALLESH BABU . M	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C AT BANGARPET IN C.R. NO. 221/2018	171H, 149 OF IPC AND SEC-TION 3,6 AND 7 OF RELIGIOUS INSTITUTIONS (PREVENTION OF MISUSE)ACT, 1988.	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
54	BANGARPETE	MALLESH BABU . M	C.C. NO. 255/2019	ER FILLING THE CHARGESHEET IN C.R. NO. 221/2018, NOW THE CASE IS PENDING FOR HEAR BEFORE CHARGE.	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
55	BANGARPETE	MALLESH BABU . M	ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C. AT BAN-GARPET. C.R. NO. 80/2023	153A, 504, 506, 114 R/w 34 OF IPC. THE AP-PLICANT HAS OBTAINED AN STATION BAIL.	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
56	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Additional Civil Judge (JRDN) & J.M.F.C. Court, Doddaballa-pur, CC No.998/2013	U/SEC 123(2) & 171(E) OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
57	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Additional Civil Judge (JRDN) & J.M.F.C. Court, Doddaballa-pur, CC No.728/2013	U/SEC 127,171(H) OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
58	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Additional Civil Judge (JRDN) & J.M.F.C. Court, Doddaballa-pur, CC No.727/2013	U/SEC 127 & 171(H) OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
59	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Additional Civil Judge (JRDN) & J.M.F.C. Court, Doddaballa-pur, CC No.413/2014	U/SEC 123(1) & 171(E) OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
60	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Civil Judge & J.M.F.C. Court, DEVANAHALLI, CC No.5265/2020	U/SEC 4(1),4(1A)/ M,M,R,D ACT 1957 R/W 379, 420 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
61	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Civil Judge & J.M.F.C. Court, DEVANAHALLI, CC No.1381/2019	U/SEC 4(1),4(1A)/ M,M,R,D ACT 1957 R/W 379 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable

62	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Civil Judge & J.M.F.C. Court, DEVANAHALLI, CC No.3707/2021	U/SEC 143,144,147 ,148,323,324,447,5 04,506(B) R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
63	DODDA-BALLAPURA	B. Mune-gowda	Civil Judge & J.M.F.C. Court, DEVANAHALLI, CC No.4487/2014	U/SEC 143, 144, 147, 148, 447, 427, 341, 506 R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
64	Arsikere	N.R. San-thosh	City Civil Court Filing No : 306/2018, Case Stage : Hearing Court No & Judge : 1142- CCH59- City civil & Session Judge.	364, 143, 147, 323, 511, 331, 120B, 149(Kidnap) FIR No : 163, 2017 Mahalakshmi Lay-out PS	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
65	GUNDLUPET	MANJU-NATHA K.S	Senior Civil Judge and JMFC at Gundlupet Case No: CC No.1072/2021 Statues: NBW to Accused	PC Section 143, 188, 269, 270 R/w 149	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
66	GUNDLUPET	MANJU-NATHA K.S	Additional Civil Judge and JMFC at Gundlupet Case No: CC No.1279/2016 Statues: NBW to Accused	IPC Section 143, 147, 188, 323, 324, 353, 332 R/w 149	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
67	GUNDLUPET	MANJU-NATHA K.S	Additional Civil Judge and JMFC at Gundlupet Case No: CC No.229/2017 Statues: NBW to Ac-cused.	IPC Section 143, 188 R/w 149	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
68	BYATARAYANA-PURA	NAGARAJ GOWDA P	30TH ACMM, BAN-GALORE CR.NO 83/2023	171- E OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
69	Harapanahalli	N.M.Noor Ahmed	ACMM COURT,MEYOHAL BANGLORE. CC.NO- 0050134/ 2014	138&142	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
70	Harapanahalli	N.M.Noor Ahmed	1th JMFC COURT HUBLI, CC.NO- 0001094/ 2022	138&142	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
71	Gowribidanur	CR Narasim-hamurthy	JMFC GOWRI-BIDANUR CC NO 774/2019	192-4(3) Karnataka land revenue act	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
72	KANAPUR	NASIR BHAGVAN	Court of Additional First Class Judicial Magistrate BAILHON-GAL CRIMINAL NO:754/2014 Addl. JMFC Court, Khanapur 1144/2019 12-05-2018 IV J.M.F.C. COURT BELAGAVI PC No. 20/2019 22-03-2019 IV J.M.F.C. COURT BELAGAVI PC No. 21/2019 22-03-2019 IV J.M.F.C. COURT BELAGAVI PC No. 22/2019 22-03-2019	U/S-171(E) AND 188, 171E IPC 200 Cr.P.C. U/Sec. 276 CC 200 Cr.P.C. U/Sec. 276 CC 200 Cr.P.C. U/Sec. 138 N.I. Act U/Sec. 276 CC	Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable Not Appli-cable
73	GULBARGA UTTAR	NASIR HUS-SAIN USTAD	V Addl J.M.F.C FIR NO. 22/2020 C.C 5512/2020	U/S 143, 147, 269, 270, 188, 149 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
74	GULBARGA UTTAR	NASIR HUS-SAIN USTAD	PRE JMFC PR NO.10/2023 C.C 3469/2013	CASE CLOSED	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
75	GULBARGA UTTAR	NASIR HUS-SAIN USTAD	II ADDL DIST & SES-SION CRL.R.P. 28/2023	107, 397 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
76	GULBARGA UTTAR	NASIR HUS-SAIN USTAD	PRL JMFC CR NO. 21/2023 FIR NO. 813/2023	143, 147, 283, 149 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
77	GULBARGA UTTAR	NASIR HUS-SAIN USTAD	IV JMFC CR NO. 25/2022 FIR NO. 371/2023	143, 147, 149, 383, OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
78	Sira	R.Ugresh	Sira PS (PCR 48/20) (CC 598/20)	188,271 IPC & U/ Sec.51(B),60(A) of DM Act	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
79	Sira	R.Ugresh	Sira PS (CC No 907/2013) (Crime No.122/2013)	U/S 379,188 r/w 34 of IPC And U/Sec 44 Of KMMCR 1994	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
80	KUNDAPURA	RAMESH	ADDL. CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC COURT, KUNDAPURA CC NO. - 1885/2013	U/SEC 465, 468, 471 OF IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
81	Haliyal	Shrikanth S/o Laksh-man Ghot-nekar	2nd Addl - District & Sessions Uttara Kannada SPL Case No 74/2022	U/S 3(1)(r), 3(1) (s) Amendment Act 2015 & U/S 504,506 of IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
82	Haliyal	S.L. Ghotnekar	CC NO. 666/2022 J.M.F.C. Court	U/S143, 341, 342, 427, 447, 448, 504, R/W 149 IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
83	Haliyal	S.L. Ghotnekar	Cr.No.46/2023 J.M.F.C. Court	U/S 418, 420, 465, 468, 471 of IPC	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable	Not Appli-cable
84	Haliyal	S.L. Ghotnekar	Karnataka Lokayukta Police COMP/LOK/ BGM- 816/2019 Writ Petition No. 101698/2022 Writ Petition No. 1019389/2022 (Pend-ing)High Court Of Karnataka Bench Dharwad	U/S 12(3) Karna-taka Lokayukta ACT 1984	Karnataka Lokayukta COURT 06/12/2021	REGARD-ING MISUSE OF GRANT GIVEN TO KARNATA-KA LOKA-YUKTHA SEC 12(1) & 12(3) FUNDS UNDER THE KARNA-TAKA LO-KAYUKTA ACT 1984	NO

85	BAILHONGAL	SHANKAR B MADALAGI	PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE, BAILHONGAL NO:162/2016	U/S 143,147,341, 283,149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
86	BAILHONGAL	SHANKAR B MADALAGI	PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE, BAILHONGAL, CC NO:515/2021	U/S: 143, 147, 504, 506, R/W sec 146 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
87	GURUMITKAL	SHARAN GOWDA KAN-DAKUR	YADGIRI TOWN P.S FIR NO. 109/2020	U/SEC 342, 504, 506 R/w 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
88	GURUMITKAL	SHARAN GOWDA KAN-DAKUR	YADGIRI TOWN P.S FIR NO. 180/2019	U/SEC 143, 147, 341, 336, 153, 120(B) R/w 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
89	GURUMITKAL	SHARAN GOWDA KAN-DAKUR	GURUMITKAL P.S FIR NO.67/2017	U/SEC. 143,147,341 R/w 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
90	KUMTA	SURAJ NAIK SONI	PRL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE COURT UTTARA KANNADA S.C. NO 7/2020	U/S 143, 147, 148, 323, 324, 326, 307, 504, 506, 427, 149 OF IPC AND U/S 2(B) OF Karnataka Prevention of Destruction and Loss of Property Act In this case Accused No 4	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
91	KUMTA	SURAJ NAIK SONI	Kumta J.M.F.C COURT C.C No. 129/2018	U/s 147, 143, 149, 341, 283, 188 of IPC in this case Accused No 11	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
92	NAGAMAN-GALA	SURESH GOWDA	PRL CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC, MAN-DYA C.C.NO.3694/2022	138 of NI ACT. CHEQUE BOUNCE	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
93	NAGAMAN-GALA	SURESH GOWDA	IX ACMM, BANGA-LORE C.C.NO./28166/2017	U/SEC 465,68,471,42 0 of IPC PERTAINING TO COOPERATIVE SOCIETY ACT.	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
94	NAGAMAN-GALA	SURESH GOWDA	HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA, BEN-GALURU C.C.NO 871/2021	SECTIONS 11 & 12 OF CONTEMPT OF COURT ACT 1971 VIOLAT-ING THE ORDER DT:07.08.2017 IN WP NO.1969-9879 OF 2016	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
95	NAGAMAN-GALA	SURESH GOWDA	CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC NAGAMAN-GALA FOC-17	U/SEC 33,64A,104C,1 05 OF KARNA-TAKA FOREST ACT & IPC 353. OBSTRUCTING GOVERNMENT SERVANT DUTY	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
96	NAGAMAN-GALA	SURESH GOWDA	CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC, NAGAMAN-GALA CR.NO. 180/2022	U/SEC 143,504,506,3 53, R/W 149 IPC ACT. OBSTRUCTING GOVERNMENT SERVANT DUTY	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
97	MADHUGIRI	VEERAB-HADRAIAH	81 ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS COURT(SPECIAL) (CCH-82) SPECIAL CASE NO:457/2016 F.I.R NO:18/2012	13(1)(C) Preven- tion of Corruption 13(2)PC ACT AND 420,120(B) IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
98	MADHUGIRI	VEERAB-HADRAIAH	ADDITIONAL CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C COURT,MADHUGIRI F,I,R NO:56/2023	U/S:171(B) AND 171(E) IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
99	Srinivaspura	Ven- katashivred- dy	XLII Addl.Chief Met-ropolitan Magistrate Bengaluru CC No 30772/2021	IPC U/S 500 & 501	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
100	Srinivaspura	Ven- katashivred- dy	Addl Chief Metropol-itan Magistrate Private CC No 04/2019	U/s 388, 499, 500, 501, 506	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
101	CHINCHOLI	SANJEEVAN YAKAPURA	MAHILA POLICE STATION, KALA-BURGI F.I.R NO/CR.NO. 50/2022 C.C. NO.18322/2022	U/SEC 325, 504, 506	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
102	CHINCHOLI	SANJEEVAN YAKAPURA	PRL JMFC KALA-BURGI CRIME NO. 87/2014 C.C.NO. 2975	498(A), 504, 306, R/N 34, IPC AND 3 & 4 DP ACT	PRL JMFC KALABURGI 26/3/2022	1 YEAR & FINE OF 10,000 1 YEAR & FINE OF 10,000 SO, PUNISH-MENTS 1 YEAR & 20,000	NO
103	HAGARI BOM-MANAHALLI	NEMIRAJ NAYAK	SENIOR CIVIL & JMFC COURT HAGARI BOMMANA-HALLI CC NO 409/2022 FIR NO 233/2021	U/S 143, 147, 504, 171(C)(1)/R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
104	HAGARI BOM-MANAHALLI	NEMIRAJ NAYAK	SENIOR CIVIL & JMFC COURT HAGARI BOMMANA-HALLI CC NO 362/2022 FIR NO 234/2021	U/S 143, 147, 171 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
105	HAGARI BOM-MANAHALLI	NEMIRAJ NAYAK	SENIOR CIVIL & JMFC COURT HAGARI BOMMANA-HALLI CC NO 408/2022 FIR NO 238/2021	U/S 143, 147, 504, 363-188/R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
106	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	4TH J.M.F.C. COURT, MANGA-LURU C.C. NO. 641/2023	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
107	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	4TH J.M.F.C. COURT, MANGA-LURU C.C. NO. 361/2023	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
108	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	12TH A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 8444/2015	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable

109	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	18TH A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 6145/2018	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
110	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	6TH S.C.C.H. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 516/2018	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
111	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	8TH S.C.C.H. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 14120/2015	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
112	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	15TH A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 45599/2010	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
113	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	19TH A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 3130/2016	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
114	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	SPECIAL J.F.C.M. COURT, ANANTHA-PURA C.C. NO. 90/2018	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
115	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	4TH J.M.F.C. COURT, MANGA-LURU C.C. NO. 1565/2017	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
116	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	J.M.F.C. COURT, MANGALURU C.C. NO. 1324/2017	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
117	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	J.M.F.C. COURT, MANGALURU C.C. NO. 310/2017	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
118	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	1ST J.M.F.C. COURT, GADAG C.C. NO. 861/2016	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
119	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	J.M.F.C. COURT, ATHANI C.C. NO. 120/2016	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
120	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	PRINCIPLE CIVIL JUDGE J.M.F.C. COURT, HASSAN C.C. NO. 624/2013	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
121	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	PRINCIPLE CIVIL JUDGE J.M.F.C. COURT, HASSAN C.C. NO. 623/2013	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
122	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	CIVIL JUDGE SE-NIOR DIVISIONAL AND J.M.F.C. COURT, BELUR C.C. NO. 493/2017	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
123	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	PRINCIPLE CIVIL JUDGE J.M.F.C. COURT, KADUR C.C. NO. 760/2013	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
124	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 2957/2014	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
125	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 29358/2014	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
126	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	36TH A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 33686/2021	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
127	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	42ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 36720/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
128	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	42ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 31752/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
129	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	26TH A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 19493/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
130	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	23RD A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 13004/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
131	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	42ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 3593/2023	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
132	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	42ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 9165/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
133	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 36517/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
134	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	42ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 27317/2018	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
135	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 4599/2020	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
136	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	22ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU P.C.R. NO. 4040/2020	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
137	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	22ND A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU P.C.R. NO. 344/2020	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
138	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 15433/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable
139	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	JUDICIAL FIRST CLASS MAGIS-TRATE COURT, GUNTAKAL C.C. NO. 08/2023	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable	Not Appli- cable

140	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	JUDICIAL FIRST CLASS MAGIS-TRATE COURT, GUNTAKAL C.C. NO. 07/2023	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
141	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	JUDICIAL FIRST CLASS MAGIS-TRATE COURT, GUNTAKAL C.C. NO. 06/2023	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
142	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	PRICIPLE CIVIL JUDGE AND J.M.F.C COURT, ATHANI C.C. NO. 46/2018	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
143	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	J.M.F.C. COURT, HUBBALLI C.C. NO. 1448/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
144	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 19493/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
145	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	A.C.M.M. COURT, BENGALURU C.C. NO. 19493/2022	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
146	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	J.M.F.C. COURT, MANGALURU C.C. NO. 1565/2017	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
147	KADUR	Y. S. V. DATTA	J.M.F.C.Court , Man- galuru CCM 497/2020	138 NI ACT (CHECK BOUNCE CASE)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
148	MALAVALLI	K. ANNA- DANI	LABOUR INSPEC- TORS C.C. NO. 908/2014	LI U/SEC 4(1) AND (3) RULE (3)	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
149	MALAVALLI	K. ANNA- DANI	C.C. NO. 2050/2018		Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
150	BELLARY CITY	ANIL H LAD	Hon ble LXXXI Addl. City Civil and Ses- sion, Bengaluru (CCH-82), CC NO. 105/2014 Crime No. RC 16(A)/2012/CBI/ACB- BLR	U/s 120-B, 409, 420, 379, 441; 447 of IPC under Section 13 (2) r/w 13(1) (d) of PC Act, 1989 Under Section 21 r/w 4 (1), 4 (1) (a) and 23 of MMDR Act, 1963 and Us 24 of the For- est Act, 1963	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
151	BELLARY CITY	ANIL H LAD	Addl. Chief Metropol- itan Magistrate, Mayo Hall at Bangalore Later numbered as CC No. 9436/2022	under Section 200 of Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 read with Section 138 and 142 of the Negotiable Instru- ment Act,1991	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
152	BELLARY CITY	ANIL H LAD	Hon'ble XXXIV Addl. Chief Metropolitan Magistrate. Mayo Hall at Bangalore C.C. No. 50923/2020	filed by SIT Karnataka Lokayuk- ta U/s 21, 23, R/w 4 (1), 4 (14) MMDR Act, 1957	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
153	BELLARY CITY	ANIL H LAD	Hon'ble LXXXI Addl. City Civil and Session, Bengaluru (CCH-82) filed by SIT Karnataka Lokayukta Spl. CC No. 31/2023	U/s 21, 23, R/w 4 (1), 4 (1A) MMDR Act, 1957	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
154	BELLARY CITY	ANIL H LAD	Hon'ble LXXXI Addl. City Civil and Session, Bengaluru (CCH-82) filed by SIT Karnataka Lokayukta Spl. CC No. 33/2023	U/s 21, 23, R/w 4 (1), 4 (1A) MMDR Act, 1957	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
155	BELLARY CITY	ANIL H LAD	Hon'ble 42nd ACMM at Bangalore. CC No. 14681/2022		Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
156	SHIMOOGGA	AYNUR MANJU- NATH	CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC, HOSANAG- ARA CC NO.- 639/2018	U/SEC 171(E) OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
157	KANAKAPURA	B. NAGA- RAJU	FIRST GRADE CIVIL COURT CC NO. 739/2013	143, 142, 341, 188R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
158	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	3rd ACMMCourt CCNO-21796/18	120(B),406, 468, 471, u/s34 Land case	58 City Civil Court (CCH-59) order date: 28.10.2020	Murder Case, Punish- ment of imprison- ment of life 120, 143, 147, 148, 150, 506B, 302 R/w-149	Life
159	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	3rdACMM Court CCNO.12669/2019	406,420,471, 120(B) U/S.34 Land case	Appeal Kar- nataka High Court	CRLP.A- 54/2021, Appeal Dispose allowed	Order acquittal Dated 4.11. 2022
160	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	39thACMMCourt CC.no.34423/2022	420, Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
161	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	39thACMMCourt- CCNO.6265/2015	420 R/w -34 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
162	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	9th ACMMCourt CC NO.11263/2017	418, 465, 468 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
163	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	9th ACMMCourt CC NO.21911/2017	120(B) 418,420 R/W-34 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
164	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	9th ACMMCourt CC NO.24775/2015-	420 R/W-34 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
165	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	9th ACMMCourt CC NO.10298/2017	120(B), 418, 465, 468, 420 R/W-34 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable

166	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	5TH ACMMCourt CCNO.28833/2019 Dt: 3.12.2019	418, 419, 420, 468, 470 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
167	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	5TH ACMMCourt CC-31786/2021	420, R/w-34, : Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
168	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	5TH ACMMCourt CC No.1882/2023-	420-506 R/w-34. Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
169	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	5th ACMMCourt CCNO.-1882/2023	420 r/w.34 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
170	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	5TH ACMMCourt CCNO.20823/2021	427, 506, 34.120(B)- Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
171	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	4th ACMMCourt CCNO.2080/2023	406, 420, R/w-34 Land case	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
172	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	Chief MMTC CCNO.20777/2015	IPC 120, 120B, 420, 465, 468, KMC 321, 321B	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
173	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	Enforcement of Directory Bangalore. FIR No. /ECIR/ BGZ0/06/2016	Money Laundering Act 2002	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
174	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	24TH City Civil and section court Spl.cc-18/2016- pe act.13(1) (E)	R/w 13(2) IPC 120(B). disproportionate asset	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
175	Chamarajpete	C. Govindraj	Karnataka High Court Appeal CRL.P-1076/2018		Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
176	RAJARAJESH- WARINAGAR	DR. NARAY- ANSWAMY	4TH ACMM, BENGALURU CC NO. – 225/2021	406 AND 420 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
177	RAJARAJESH- WARINAGAR	DR. NARAY- ANSWAMY	1ST ACMM, BENGALURU CC NO. 7542/2020	U/SEC 420 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
178	RAJARAJESH- WARINAGAR	DR. NARAY- ANSWAMY	13TH ACMM, BEN- GALURU, CC NO. 5113/2018	U/SEC 138 OF NEGOTIABLE IN- STRUMENT ACTS, CHEQUE BOUNCE CASE	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
179	RAJARAJESH- WARINAGAR	DR. NARAY- ANSWAMY	7TH ACMM, BENGALURU CC. NO. - 135/2016	U/SEC 337 AND 304(A) OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
180	RAJARAJESH- WARINAGAR	DR. NARAY- ANSWAMY	7TH ACMM, BENGALURU CC. NO.- 140/2016	U/SEC 337 AND 304(A) OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
181	HARIHARA	H.S. SHIVA SHANKAR	PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC, HARIHARA F.I.R NO. - 209/2021 CC NO. – 67/2023	U/SEC 506, 341, 504, 323 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
182	CHICKPETE	IMRAN PASHA	J.J. NAGAR P.S CR.NO. - 14/2017	U/SEC 181, 191, 193 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
183	CHICKPETE	IMRAN PASHA	J.J. NAGAR P.S CR.NO. - 85/2020	U/SEC 143, 188, 270, 271 OF IPC - PT	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
184	CHICKPETE	IMRAN PASHA	NANDAGUDI P.S CR. NO. – 72/ 2002	U/SEC 143, 147, 148, 399, 120(B), 149 UNDER IPS INVESTIGATION	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
185	CHICKPETE	IMRAN PASHA	J.J. NAGAR P.S CR.NO.- 60/40	SEC 143, 144, 147, 148, 120(B), 302, 307, 324 R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
186	HOLALKERE	INDRAJITH NAIK	IN THE COURT 32 ADDL. CHIEF METRO POLION MAGISTRATE, BEN- GALURU CC NO. 00064 27/2020	U/SEC 452, 392 OF IPC	ADDL CHIEF METRO POLION MAG- ISTRATE, BANGA- LORE 24/6/2020	AS A MATTER UPROAR	NOT APPLI- CABLE
187	AURAD	JAISINGH RATHOD	TALUK MAGIS- TRATE, KAMALA- NAGAR FIR NO. 12/2023 CR. NO. 2/2023-24	U/SEC 107 OF CRPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
188	AURAD	JAISINGH RATHOD	TALUK MAGIS- TRATE, KAMALA- NAGAR FIR NO. 24/2023 CR. NO. 1/2023-24	U/SEC 107 OF CRPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
189	PERIYAPATNA	K. MA- HADEV	CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC COURT, K.R. NAGAR C.MSS.NO- 340/2018	CRPC -125	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
190	CHIKKABAL- LAPURA	K.P BACHE- GOWDA	J.M.F.C, CHIKKA- BALLAPURA C.R NO.- 88/2016	143, 147, 323, 504, 506, 447, 354, 306, 114, R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
191	NAVALGUND	KALLAPPA NAGAPPA GADDI	NAVALGUND P.S. CASE NO. 171/2015 CC NO. 30755/20-21	U/SEC 143, 147, 127, 506, 447, 109 R/W 149 IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
192	GULBARGA DAKSHIN	KRISHNA REDDY	Deputy Commis- sioner of Police (Law and Order) Special Executive Magistrate Court, Kalaburagi. File No: 330/MAG/ PA/KN/2023 PAR No: 22/2023	Sec. 107 of Cr.P.C Notice issued U/ Sec. 111 of Cr.P.C.	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
193	MULBAGAL	MANJU- NATH	HIGHER CIVIL COURT, JMFC, MULBAGAL C.R. NO. - 107/2023	U/SEC 171H, 14 OF IPC CHILD LABOUR PROHIBITION ACT	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
194	MULBAGAL	MANJU- NATH	HIGHER CIVIL COURT, JMFC, MULBAGAL C.R. NO. - 143/2018	U/SEC 171 E, 188 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
195	Yamkanmardi	Maruthi Mal- lappa Astaki	Vth Additional Civil Judge And JMFC Court, Bel- agavi C.C.No-379/2017	419, 420, 465, 468, 470, 471, 109 , R/W 34 ofIPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
196	GUBBI	NAGARAJU	CIVIL JUDGE &J.M.F.C GUBBI C.C NO. 2844/20- 2021 CNR NO.- KATK310041172021	CIVIL JUDGE 872	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
197	KANAKAGIRI	P.V RAJA- GOPAL	BELLARY COURT CC NO. 71/2020	U/SEC 406, 417, 418, 420, 423 OF IPC	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable
198	RAYBAG	Pradeepku- mar Ramu Malagi	Prf. Family Court Hubli CrI.Misc No 131/ 2019	Section 125 of Cr.P.C for grant of monthly maintenance	Not Appli- cable	Not Ap- plicable	Not Ap- plicable

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INVITATIONS FOR BIDS (IFB)
Bid Identification No. C.C.E.J.C (R&B) - 02/2023-24

No. 2334 Date. 04.05.2023

1. Nature of the work:	BRIDGE WORK
2. Total No. of Works:	01 (One) No.
3. Estimated cost:	Rs. 713.81 Lakhs As per work.
4. Period of completion:	11 (Eleven) Months.
5. Cost of Bid Document:	Rs. 10,000/- Each.
6. Bid Security (EMD):	Rs. 7.13,900/-
7. Class of Contractor:	"A" & "Special" Class as per cl no. 05 of TCN & according to Financial Eligibility.
8. Date & time of availability of bid Document in the portal:	From 10.00 hours of 12.05.2023 to 17.00 hours of 29.05.2023
9. Last date / Time for receipt of bids in the Portal:	17.00 hours of 29.05.2023
10. Opening date of Bid:	10.00 hours of 30.05.2023
11. Name and address of the Officer Inviting Bid:	Chief Construction Engineer, Jeypore (R&B) Circle, Jeypore

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal <https://tendersodisha.gov.in> . Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website only.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Jeypore (R&B) Circle, Jeypore

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The undersigned advocate submit on behalf of my client A.M. Gulame-Mustafa S/o. Late Agha Hussain, aged about 54 years, R/o: # 315, 4th Cross, Bazar Street, Hanumanthappa Garden, Newlands, Bengaluru-560047 and others have filed the death petition for the death certificate of deceased by name AGTHER HUSSAIN S/o. Late Agha Hussain, who was died on 19-09-2021 at # E/87, 4th Cross, Bazar Street, Newlands, Bengaluru-560047. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same or appear before the Hon'ble 23rd A.C.M. Court on 28/05/2023 at 11:40 AM in C.No. No.2430/2023.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
 23rd A.C.M. COURT OF THE
 546, SHERISTEAD, COURT OF THE
 23rd A.C.M. BENGALURU
 SRK ASSOCIATES, ADVOCATE

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to the General Public that my clients (1) Sri. Chethan Kumar V.L S/o Late V. Lakshman Rao, Aged about 39 years, and (2) Sri. R. Prakash Rao S/o Late V. Rama Rao Nimbalkar, Aged about 45 years, Both are residing at No. 165, 5th cross, Annappamswari Layout, Ullal Main Road, Bangalore-56. They have intended to purchase the herein under schedule property from the owner of Item No.1 property belongs to 1) Sri. Nagaraj S/o Venkateshiah, aged about 54 years R/o Nagavalli Village, Tumkur Taluk, Hebbur Hobli, Tumkur Dist. and item No.2 property belongs to 2) Chikkannarasamma W/o Late Venkataramanah @ Puttalaiah R/o Nagavalli village, Tumkur Taluk, Hebbur Hobli, Tumkur Dist. The owner represents that he is the absolute owner in possession of the schedule property and the schedule property is free from any kind of encumbrance any person or persons, any legal heirs asserting any right, title, interest claim or demand whatsoever in the schedule properties or any part thereof, is hereby required to notify the same in writing to the undersigned within a period Fifteen (15) days from the date of issuance of this notice with all documentary proof thereof failing which my client will treat the title of the schedule property as clear and marketable and will proceed to enter into the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

ITEM No. 1:
 All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural property bearing Sy No. 60/3, Total measuring to extent of 1 Acre 10 Guntas out of 1 Acre 33 Guntas situated at, Nagavalli Village, Hebbur Hobli, Tumkur Taluk, Tumkur Dist bounded as follows
East By : Govt. Road, **West By :** Property belongs to Nagaraju S/o Venkateshiah, **North By :** Property belongs to Late Yajaman Venkatarayappa, **South By :** Property belongs to same Sy No Lakshminarayana S/o Venkateshiah.

MAHESHA, BA, LL.B., Advocate
 # 8, 11nd Floor, Above Brahmarshree Uphar Hotel, Govt Press Layout, Ullal Main Road, Bangalore-560 056, Mob: 9900851719, 8792807557

ITEM No. 2:
 All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural property bearing Sy No. 60/2, Total measuring to extent of 1 Acre 10 Guntas situated at, Nagavalli Village, Hebbur Hobli, Tumkur Taluk Tumkur Dist bounded as follows
East By : Govt. Road, **West By :** Property belongs to Nagaraju S/o Venkateshiah, **North By :** Property belongs to Late Yajaman Venkatarayappa, **South By :** Property belongs to same Sy No Lakshminarayana S/o Venkateshiah.

Government of Odisha
Office of the Chief Construction Engineer
RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, Bhawanipatna

NOTICE

FOR PRADHAN MANTRI GRAM SADAK YOJANA (PMGSY)
NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING THROUGH e-Procurement Notice for PMGSY-III, Batch-I (2022-23) Packages

Bid identification No. BPT/Online-02/2023-24

O-115

The Chief Construction Engineer, R. W. Circle, Bhawanipatna on behalf of Odisha State Rural Road Agency invites the percentage rate bids in electronic tendering system for construction of roads & bridges under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana in the districts of **Kalahandi and Nuapada** for 14 (fourteen) number of package with estimated cost totaling to **Rs.51.02 Cr** including their maintenance for five years from the eligible contractors registered with State PWD / CPWD / MES / Railways. The registered bidder of outside Odisha, can also participate in this process, but shall have to subsequently undergo registration with the appropriate authority of the State Govt. preferably within a month of the deadline for bid submission, but prior to signing of the contract

Date of release of Invitation for Bids through e-procurement.dtd.10.05.2023.

Availability of Bid Documents and mode of submission: The bid document is available online and should be submitted online in www.pmgstenders.gov.in. The bidder would be required to register in the web-site which is free of cost. For submission of the bids, the bidder is required to have a valid Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the authorized Certifying Authorities. The bidders are required to submit (a) original Demand Draft towards the cost of bid document and (b) original bid security in approved format (c) original affidavit regarding correctness of information furnished with bid document as per provisions of Clause 4.4B(ii) of ITB with C.C.E., R. W. Circle, Bhawanipatna/ Concerned Superintending Engineer / Executive Engineer, R.W. Division (as per Tender Call Notice) on a date not later than three working days after the opening of technical qualification part of the Bid, either by registered post or by hand, failing which the bids shall be declared non-responsive.

Last Date/ Time for receipt of bids through e-procurement: 30.05.2023 upto 5.00 PM

For further details please log on to www.pmgstenders.gov.in

Sd/-
 CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER
 Rural Works Circle, Bhawanipatna

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public at large are hereby informed that, my client had negotiated and agreed to purchase the Schedule Property described herein below mentioned property from Sri. B. Govindaraju, Son of Sri. P. Balappa, residing at No.12, 38th Cross, 19th Main, HBR Layout, 5th Block, Bangalore-560043. As such any person(s)/Company/ Bank/institution having any claim whatsoever over the schedule property are hereby called upon to file their objections, claims along with supporting documents to the below mentioned address within 7 days from the date of this notification. If no objections/claims are received within the said period my client shall proceed to complete the sale transaction as if there are no objections or claims whatsoever and my client shall be considered as bonafide purchaser of the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY:
 All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Survey No.6 measuring 0.31 Guntas of Dommasandra Village, Bidar District, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on the East by land bearing Survey No.5, West by land bearing Survey No.5 and North by land bearing Survey No.8 and South by land bearing Survey No.8.

Sd/-
G. V. Anjaneya Gowda,
 Advocate & consultant,
 #250, White city Layout,
 Seegehalli Village,
 Bangalore-560049
 Mobile No.9900716419

PUBLIC NOTICE

Mr.B.M.Raju, has produced photo copies of the documents mentioned in the list of documents with respect to the property described in the schedule hereunder for legal opinion.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the converted land bearing Sy.No.29/3, an extent of 1 Acre 15 Guntas, Sy.No.30/3 and extent of 0.22Guntas, Sy.No.31/1 an extent of 1 Acre 36 Guntas, Sy.No.33 an extent of 2 Acres 24 Gun., Sy.No.53/1A an extent of 4 Acres, 53/2 an extent of 3 Acres and Sy.No.54 an extent of 2 Acres 23 Guntas, totally 16 Acres, converted for non-agricultural purposes of Poultry Farming, vide Official Memorandum Dated:20-11-2009, bearing No.ALN.CR.19/2009-10, situated at Maripadagu Village, Nagargere Hobli, Gaurbidanur Taluk, Chikballapur District, and bounded on the;

For Sy.Nos. 63/1, 63/2, 64, 29/3
EAST BY : Remaining land in Sy.No.64 & Sy.No.29/4,
WEST BY : Sy.No.52 & 6e Sy.No.29/10,(others land)
NORTH BY : Sy.63/1, 63/2 remaining land and Govt.Road,
SOUTH BY : Sy.63/1, 63/2, 64, remaining land and Govt.Road.
For Sy.Nos. 31/1 and 33
EAST BY : Remaining land in No.Sy.No.31/2,
WEST BY : Remaining and others land in Sy.No.33,
NORTH BY : Government Road,
SOUTH BY : Sy.No.33 and 31/1 remaining land.

V. NARAYAN,
 No. 253/85, Sir M. Visveswaraiiah Layout, 7th Block, Behind East West Engineering College, Magadi Road, Viswanenadram Post, Bangalore- 560088. Ph: 98452 04799

199	RAYBAG	Pradeepkumar Ramu Malagi	III Addl Civil Judge & JMFC Hubli C.C.No. 31/2021	Private complaint filed u/s 200 Cr. P.C for offence u/s 494 & 506 R/w 149 of IPC for offence relating to marriage and criminal intimidation	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
200	MASKI	RAGHAVENDRA NAYAK	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE(SR.DN) & CJM COURT LINGASUGUR CC NO-0024/2021	U/S IPC 1860(U/S-505(2))	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
201	BANGALORE SOUTH	RAJAGOPALA REDDY	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC, ANEKAL CC NO. 7466/2021	188, 269, 271, 353 OF INDIAN PENAL CODE & 51(B) OF KARNATAKA EPIDEMIC DISEASE ACT, 2020.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
202	BANGALORE SOUTH	RAJAGOPALA REDDY	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC, ANEKAL CC NO. 7466/2021	427, 506 & 34 OF INDIAN PENAL CODE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
203	BANGALORE SOUTH	RAJAGOPALA REDDY	VI ADDL CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC, ANEKAL CC NO. - 840/2016	427, 34 AND 506 OF INDIAN PENAL CODE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
204	BANGALORE SOUTH	RAJAGOPALA REDDY	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC, ANEKAL CC NO. 13166/2021	51(B) OF KARNATAKA EPIDEMIC DISEASE ACT 2020	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
205	BELGAUM RURAL	SHARAN GOWDA RUDRAGOWDA PATIL	JMFC 5TH, BELAGAVI CC NO.818/2021 PC NO. 792/2021	51(B)-DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT - 2005	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
206	BELGAUM RURAL	SHARAN GOWDA RUDRAGOWDA PATIL	JMFC BELGAUM, SL.NO., 244/2023 FIR NO. 53/2023	171(H) IPC & 127(A) RP ACT	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
207	SHORAPUR	SHRAVAN KUMAR NAIK	HON'BLE DISTRICT AND COURT, YADAGIRI SPECIAL CASE NO. 37/2020 FIR NO. 707/2020	U/SEC 323,324, 504, 506, R/W 149 OF IPC	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
208	SHORAPUR	SHRAVAN KUMAR NAIK	JMFC COURT, SHORAPUR CCNO. - 673/2019 FIR NO. 28/2019	U/SEC 147, 148, 323, 324, 504, 506 R/W 149 IPC AND 3(1)®, 3(1)(S), 3(2)(V.A) OF SC & ST P.A.ACT	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
209	BELGAUM DAKSHIN	SHRINIVAS TALUKAR	JMFC II, BELAGAVI CC NO. 516/2021	51(B) - DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT - 2005	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
210	LINGASUGUR	SIDDU BANDI	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE (JR. DN) AND J.M.F.C., LINGASUGUR F.I.R. No. 160/2018 C.C./881/2018	INDIAN PENAL CODE ACT IPC 1860 (U/S 171H, 188)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
211	LINGASUGUR	SIDDU BANDI	PRL. CIVIL JUDGE (JR. DN) AND J.M.F.C., LINGASUGUR F.I.R. No. 148/2018	IPC 1860 (U/S-273, 284, 171H), KARNATAKA EXCISE ACT, 1965(U/S-32,34,38A)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
212	SAUNDATTHI YELLAMMA	SOURAV ANAND CHOPRA	HON'BLE COURT OF PRL.CIVIL JUDGE (JR.DN) & JMFC COURT CRIME NO.0148/2023	IPC 1860(U/S 143, 147, 341, 285, 149.); PREVENTION OF DAMAGE TO PUBLIC PROPERTY ACT, 1984(U/S-4)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
213	SAUNDATTHI YELLAMMA	SOURAV ANAND CHOPRA	HON'BLE COURT OF PRL.CIVIL JUDGE (JR.DN) & JMFC COURT CRIME NO.0147/2023	IPC 1860(U/S-171E, 171F, 171H); KARNATAKA OPEN PLACE DISFIGUREMENT ACT 1951 & 1981(U/S-3)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
214	JAMAKHANDI	YAKUB BABALAL KAPADE-WAL	COURT OF 1ST CLASS JUDICIAL MAGISTRATE, JAMAKANDI CC NO 1730/2022		Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
215	JAMAKHANDI	YAKUB BABALAL KAPADE-WAL	COURT OF ADDITIONAL DISTRICT JUDGE, BAGALKOTE EX NO 15/2020		Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
216	Melukote	C S Puttaraju	IN THE COURT OF LXXXI ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE BANGALORE (CCB - 82) SPL CASE. NO 577 /2021 Framing of charges	SECTION 120 - B r /w 406, 409,420 OF IPC & SECTION 13 (2) r /w 13 (1) (c) & (d) OF PC ACT 1988	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

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POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas, the Authorised Officer of KARNATAKA BANK LIMITED, under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice, details of which are mentioned hereunder, calling upon the borrowers/mortgagors/guarantors/co-obligants mentioned therein to repay the total amount mentioned in the demand notice along with the future interest within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notices.

1. Name of Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/Co-obligants: (1) Mrs. Kavitha S. W/o Nagaraju N. (2) Mr. Nagaraju N. S/o Mr. Nanjappa and (3) Mrs. Rathnamma, W/o Late Sathyanarayana T. All are addressed at: "Sri Sathya Nilaya" No. 23/138, 6th Main, 1st A Cross, Gurupanna Palya, BTM-I Stage, Bengaluru-560029

Branch Name: Bengaluru-Kasavanahalli **Date of Demand Notice:** 16.08.2022

Amount Demanded: Rs. 73,22,856.94 [Rupees Seventy Three Lakh Twenty Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Six and Paise Ninety Four Only] under TL A/c No. 9197001600004901 along with future interest from 08-08-2022, plus costs.

Date of taking Possession: 05.05.2023

Balance outstanding as on date of possession: Rs. 73,73,103.94 [Rupees Seventy Three Lakh Seventy Three Thousand One Hundred and Three and Paise Ninety Four Only] under TL A/c No. 9197001600004901 along with future interest from 08-04-2023, plus costs.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that part and parcel of the Residential Property bearing Site No. 23, Municipal No. 138, New House No.23/138, "Sri Sathya Nilaya", PID No. 170-W0128/17, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet, totally measuring 1200 sq.ft. with residential building constructed thereon, situated at 1st A Cross, Near 8th Main, Behind Gandhi Temple, BTM Layout, New Gurupannapalya, Bengaluru-560029 belonging to Mrs. Kavitha S. Boundaries of property: East by: Site No.24, West by: Site No.22, North by: Road, South by: Temple.

2. Name of Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/Co-obligants: (1) M/s Pancharathna Enterprises, a Partnership Firm, represented by its Partners i) Mr. Pavanram Acharya K, ii) Mrs. Varsha B E, iii) Mrs. Preethi S Shetty, iv) Mr. Kishan Kumar Hegde, v) Subhash Shetty N, addressed at: 72/1, Bellandur Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru-560103, (2) Mr. Pavanram Acharya K, S/o Mr. Kabiayadi Jayaram Acharya, R/o: No.77/2, 1st Floor, Ranga Rao Road, Near Shankar Mutt, Shankarapuram, Bengaluru-560004, (3) Mrs. Varsha B.E, W/o Mr. B.T. Manjunath, addressed at: No.89 & 70, EWS 1st Stage, B Sector, Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru-560064, (4) Mrs. Preethi S Shetty, W/o Mr. Sadananda Shetty, addressed at: No.9, "Usiru" Vellyilamma Layout, Kasavanahalli, Carmelaram Post, Bengaluru-560035, (5) Mr. Kishan Kumar Hegde, S/o Mr. Chandrapala Hegde, addressed at: No. C-1103, Purva Westend, Kudligi Gate, Bengaluru-560068, (6) Mr. Subhash Shetty N, S/o Mr. Sankappa Shetty, addressed at: No. G2, Elegance Brindavan, No.5, 36th A Cross, 11th Main, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560041 and (7) Mr. Sadananda Shetty S, S/o Mr. Sundar K Shetty, addressed at: No.9, "Usiru" Vellyilamma Layout, Kasavanahalli, Carmelaram Post, Bengaluru-560035

Branch Name: Bengaluru-Bellandur **Date of Demand Notice:** 21.09.2022

Amount Demanded: Rs.4,66,10,477.25 [Rupees Four Crore Sixty Six Lakhs Ten Thousand Four Hundred Seventy Seven and Paise Twenty Five Only] under PSTL A/c 91077001800005201 along with future interest from 28.08.2022, Plus costs.

Date of taking Possession: 05.05.2023

Balance outstanding as on date of possession: Rs.4,12,54,893.25 [Rupees Four Crore Twelve Lakh Fifty Four Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety Three and Paise Twenty Five Only] under PSTL A/c 91077001800005201 along with future interest from 28.04.2023, plus costs.

Description of the Immovable Properties: Item No.1:- All that part and parcel of Residential Site bearing No. 9, Khata No. 1748/1605/09, measuring 2400 Sq.ft. (East to West- 60 feet; North to South - 40 feet), carved out of Sy. No. 71/1, with a building constructed thereon measuring 2948 Sq.ft., situated at Kasavanahalli Village, Sarjapura Road, Carmelaram Post, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru- 560035 belonging to Mr. Sadananda Shetty S. Boundaries of the property: East By: Private Property; West By: Road; North By: Site No.8; South By: Site No.10.

Item No.2:- All that part and parcel of Commercial Site bearing No. 50, BBMP New Khata No. 970/926/50, measuring 3357.75 Sq.ft. (East to West- 75x50 feet, South to West- 57 feet) as per actual, measuring 3562.50 sq.ft. (East to West- 73x48/2 feet, South to West- 55/6 feet) as per documents, carved out in Sy. No. 15/3, with a commercial building constructed thereon measuring 2000 Sq.ft. (AC Sheet Shed), situated at Kasavanahalli Village, Sarjapura Road, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru- 560035 belonging to Mr. Sadananda Shetty S. Boundaries of the property: East By: T.D.B Road, Kasavanahalli Main Road; West By: Site No.49; North By: Road; South By: Site No.36 & 37.

3. Name of Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/Co-obligants: (1) M/s.Soundarajan Constructions, represented by its Proprietor Mr.Soundarajan R. (2) Mr. Soundarajan R, S/o Late Radhakrishna Reddy, No.113 & 114, Green Villas, Sarjapura Main Road, Carmelaram Post, Bengaluru-560035 (3) Mr. Nataraj R, S/o Late Radhakrishna Reddy, R/o: No. 35, Rainbow Drive Layout, Opp: Wipro Corporate Office, Carmelaram Post, Sarjapura Main Road, Bengaluru- 560035

Branch Name: Bengaluru-Indiranagar **Date of Demand Notice:** 07.12.2021

Amount Demanded: Rs. 26,81,093.36 [Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Eighty One Thousand Ninety Three and Paise Thirty Six Only] under PSOD Loan A/c No.1097000600117601 along with future interest from 01-12-2021, plus costs.

Date of taking Possession: 05.05.2023

Balance outstanding as on date of possession: Rs.6,49,182.36 [Rupees Six Lakh Forty Nine Thousand One Hundred and Eighty Two and Paise Thirty Six Only] under PSOD Loan A/c No.1097000600117601 along with future interest from 01-05-2023, plus costs.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that part and parcel of Residential Flat (Pent House) bearing Flat No. S1-902, in the 9th Floor, Block No. S1 of the building known as "Silver Wood Regency" having super built up area of 1077.60 Sq.ft. along with undivided share of the land of 474.14 sq.ft. along with one car parking area, constructed on the property bearing Sy. No. 21 and Sy. No.75, having BBMP Khata No.3282, situated at Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru- 560035, belonging to Mr.Soundarajan R. Boundaries of Flat as per deed: Eastby: Open space; Westby: Lift & Lobby Area; North by: Entrance & Lobby Area; South by: Open Space.

4. Name of Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/Co-obligants: (1) Mr. Soundarajan R, S/o Late Radhakrishna Reddy, R/o: No. 113 & 114, Green Villas, Sarjapura Main Road, Carmelaram Post, Bengaluru-560035 (2) Mr. R Ravichandran, S/o Late Radhakrishna Reddy, R/o: No. 36, Green Wood Regency, Near Wipro Corporate Office, Sarjapura Main Road, Bengaluru- 560035

Branch Name: Bengaluru-Indiranagar **Date of Demand Notice:** 08.12.2021

Amount Demanded: Rs. 66,06,392.62 [Rupees Sixty Six Lakh Six Thousand Three Hundred and Ninety Two and Paise Sixty Two Only] under Term Loan A/c No.1097001600723601 along with future interest from 20-11-2021, plus costs.

Date of taking Possession: 05.05.2023

Balance outstanding as on date of possession: Rs.42,60,790.62 [Rupees Forty Two Lakh Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety and Paise Sixty Two Only] under Term Loan A/c No. 1097001600723601 along with future interest from 20-04-2023, plus costs.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that part and parcel residential land bearing Site No.113 & 114, totally measuring 5400 sq. ft. formed out in converted land bearing Sy. No. 31/1 & 31/2, Village Panchayathi Khata No. 807 & 808 with a residential building constructed thereon namely "Green Villas" situated at Halanayakanahalli Village, Sarjapura Main Road, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru- 560035, belonging to Mr. Soundarajan R. Boundaries of property as per deed: East by: Site No.111 and 112; West by: 30 feet Road; North by: 40 feet Road; South by: Site No.115.

5. Name of Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/Co-obligants: (1) M/s Sri Venkateshwara Constructions, represented by Mr. P. Venkat Raju, addressed at: No.57, 6th Cross, 6th Main, Vivekananda Road, Balaji Layout, Bengaluru-560094, (2) Mr. P. Venkat Raju, S/o Mr. P. Gurava Raju, (3) Mr. P. Chalapaty, S/o P. Gurava Raju and (4) Mrs. Jayasri P, W/o P. Venkat Raju, No.2 to 4 are R/o: No.57, 6th Cross, 6th Main, Vivekananda Road, Balaji Layout, Bengaluru-560094

Branch Name: Bengaluru-Sanjaynagar **Date of Demand Notice:** 02.01.2023

Amount Demanded: Rs.11,62,520.64 [Rupees Eleven Lakhs Sixty Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty and Paise Sixty Four Only] under PSOD A/c 1137000600020501 along with future interest from 01.01.2023, plus cost.

Date of taking Possession: 05.05.2023

Balance outstanding as on date of possession: Rs.11,26,504.64 [Rupees Eleven Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Five Hundred Four and Paise Sixty Four Only] under PSOD A/c 1137000600020501 along with future interest from 01.05.2023, plus costs.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that piece and parcel of Residential property bearing Site No. 57, measuring 1200 sq.ft. East to West-40 Ft., North to South-30 Ft., (Actual 1350 sq.ft. (East to West-45 ft., North to South -30 ft.)), together with building constructed thereon having Panchayathi Khata No. 32, situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru belonging to Mr. P Venkat Raju and Mr. P Chalapaty Raju. Boundaries of the entire property: East By: Road; West By: Site No.61 & 62; North By: Private property; South By: Site No.58.

6. Name of Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/Co-obligants: (1) Mr. Subramani K N, S/o Late Narayanappa Bidappa, (2) Mrs. Chandramma, W/o Mr. Subramani K N and (3) Mr. K N Vinay Rakesh, S/o Subramani K N. All are addressed at: No.40/1, Kyalasanahalli Main Road, behind Yashas Farm, Kothanur Post, Bengaluru-560077

Branch Name: Bengaluru-Banaswadi **Date of Demand Notice:** 23.11.2022

Amount Demanded: Rs. 1,25,25,309.82 [Rupees One Crore Twenty Five Lakh Twenty Five Thousand Three Hundred and Nine and Paise Eighty Two Only] i.e Rs.44,73,047.77 under TL A/c No. 1267001600045501 along with future interest from 11.11.2022, Rs. 26,78,767.00 under OD A/c No. 1267000100011901 along with future interest from 01.11.2022, Rs. 7,17,945.05 under ODK A/c No. 1267000800000101 along with future interest from 09.10.2022, Rs.46,55,550.00 under PSTL A/c No. 1267001800056401 along with future interest from 30.03.2022, plus cost.

Date of taking Possession: 05.05.2023

Balance outstanding as on date of possession: Rs. 1,35,77,537.82 [Rupees One Crore Thirty Five Lakh Seventy Seven Thousand Five Hundred and Thirty Seven and Paise Eighty Two Only] i.e Rs. 46,80,710.77 under TL A/c No. 1267001600045501 along with future interest from 11.04.2023, Rs. 29,03,799.00 under OD A/c No. 1267000100011901 along with future interest from 01.05.2023, Rs. 7,17,380.05 under ODK A/c No. 1267000800000101 along with future interest from 09.10.2022, Rs. 52,75,648.00 under PSTL A/c No. 1267001800056401 along with future interest from 30.03.2023, plus costs.

Description of the Immovable Property: All that part and parcel of the Residential Property bearing Site No. 29, Khata No. 177, (old K. Narayanapura Gram Panchayathi Khata No.445/23/177), measuring East to West 30 feet and North to South 42 feet, totally measuring 1260 sq.ft., carved out of the land in Sy. No.2/1, Kyalasanahalli Village presently with BBMP limit, with residential building constructed thereon, situated at Kyalasanahalli Village, Kothanur Post, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru-560077 belonging to Mrs. Chandramma. Boundaries of the property: East by: Site No.30; West by: Site No.28; North by: 25 feet Road; South by: Private Property.

The borrowers/mortgagors/guarantors/co-obligants having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/mortgagors/guarantors/co-obligants and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties, as described herein above in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this 05.05.2023

The borrowers/mortgagors/guarantors/co-obligants in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties mentioned herein above and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of Karnataka Bank Ltd., for amounts as described herein above.

[The attention of the borrowers/mortgagors/guarantors/co-obligants is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.]

Sd/-
 Chief Manager And Authorized Officer
 For Karnataka Bank Ltd.,

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